e ··caddres'i are

ir by the Decatar ito is 10 cents per

kueran ne erena. ke the course the

aid by the hour

E LETTERS.

Acknowledge the

Dunham Post.

am
ly Yours
B. Cortelyou
the Fresident

y Truly, George Dewey.

, June 23, 1899.

Truly Yours,

նարդ.

IING.

AXTON.

witness the cere-

Mary L Parton

, Mr. and Mrs. R.

and Mrs. Norman

xton. Misses Bettie

Mrs. Yockey and

a dress of white

ete who had wit-

were driven to the

s mother on East

couple left for New

dry goods house for

. The groom is a

on the Wabash.

AT MACON.

uai Fish and Chick

sday, August 24.

bills sent out there

aursday, August 24,

rand supper.

f the season.

lst Minister.

eys' Picnic.

hey had a dinner a

base ball, swimming

Mr. Jones made a

ager and the boys

society of the First

Il give a lawn social

ttorney and Mrs. I.

cial Tonight.

Davenport.

: الادن

auso of the fact AT

Charles C. Barnard, the young man rairy the meniwho disappeared with the funds of J. it, No. 141, G. A-S. and H. C. Starr while at Dallas. approving the Texas, selling goods belonging to that restriction in the urm, has again been heard from. At was sent to the least a man who answers the descripal Dewey and to letters received tion of Barnard has been at Paducab. Ky., and now an effort is being made Washington, May to locate the man.

At the time of Barnard's disappearance it was at first supposed that the it of your letter young man had been murdered and it the contents of noted. Thanking afterward developed that money which the limit the president was due the firm from Barnard was the statement of the statement afterward developed that money which kindly sentiment not returned to Decatur. An effort was made to learn whether Barnard was murdered or had skipped out with the funds, but he was not heard of At Sea, 30 June, afterward.

Bert Fisher, a Decatur man, who was formerly employed on the street car line, was recently at Paducah, Ky, and there met a man who was and for sending he had once been in the employ of the Starr establishment. The conversation 1-d around to the Barnard disappearance and Mr. Thompson seemed to know a good deal about it. Mr. Fisher know a good deal about it. Mr. Fisher controlled by Major on returning to Decatur told of his experience to a friend who in turn related it to Luther Baynard, the you, expressive of the matter of the morning Mr. Barnard met Mr. Fisher the United States the United States and talked the matter over and Chief Applegate was consulted.

1. P. Sanders, The description of the su-cassed and Velonteer In- Thompson given by Fisher answers The description of the so-called Mr. exactly that of Barnard. Fisher was shown a picture of Bargard and he is certain that Mr. Thompson was none other than C. C. Barnard.

Luther Barnard is anxious to locate his son and has asked the police to on, second danghassist him. Pictures of the missing Paxton, and J. C. man have been sent out again in the d in marriage at hope of learning his whereabouts. Mr. ening by Rev. S. Barnard says he has not heard from of the First Baptist his son since the disappearance in ie on West Wood Texas.

#### OFFICERS ELECTED

At the Old Settlers' Meeting Yesterday at Fairlawn Park-Committees. At the afternoon session of the old settlers' meeting yesterday the followe, cut low in the ing officers were elected for the next

the ceremony the year: President-Hiram Ward, Elwin. Vice President-A. B. Camp, Long

Secretary-John Quinlan, Decatur. Executive Committee:-Austin Township-W. H. Parker.

Blue Mound-Ira Warnick, W. T. will visit several Moffett, Jerome Edwards. and expect to re-Decatur-J. S. Kizer, M. Elson, September 1, when ousekeeping at 351 Joseph S. Tait, James A. Wilson, E. , in a house ready McNabb, W. C. Outten, T. A.

Pritchett, James L. Peake, W. E. known in the city Nelson, A. T. Davis, James D. Turposition in a wide her. Harristown-Daniel Stookey.

Friends Creek-J. A. Shepherd. Illini-E. J. Roberts, E. Wright

Long Creek-A. B. Camp, James Logan, S. C. Davis. Maroa-T. H. Barr, James Lichtenberger, Capt. John M. Persinger.

Macon-R. W. Woodcock, Thomas Mt. Zion-Jeremiah Turpin, S. C. Franghber, J. A. Draper.

Milam-Frank Stich, Archie Davis. m Macon one week Nuntie-J. P. Faris, Elias Ford. base bail team will Oakley-S. P. Nickey.

Pleasant View-Wyatt Cherry, Rev. aroons and the memchurch will give W. L. Bankson.

Wheatland-Hiram Ward, John H. and chicken fry, Miller.

me will be played Whitmore-Oliver Stewart, Joshua

park at 2:30. The Green H. T. Alexander. Among those who spoke were Rev. e the Maroons, bave this season and this W. F. Gillmore, Owen Scott, J. A.

me of the most hotly Draper, William Ishmael, L. F. Muzzy, Judge Nelson and J. M. Brown.

Rates for Eastern Star Picnic.

te attendance at the area last evening to? The railroads have made the rates ation of Rev. J. T. for Eastern Star picnic on Monday m.mation held in the next as follows: Vandalia, one fare the candidate to be for round trip. Illinois Central, fare rough knowledge of and one-third at any station where d mis answers to the there are 20 or more passengera g were more than Wabash, fare and one-third from services last evening Howard, Tolono and other intermediate according to previous points. The same fare will be made were most impressive on same distance west and south.

All Aboard for the Piccic. A line of backs will connect with the manager of the cir- street cars at the west end of Main ent of the Review, street on the day of the Woodman oys of that paper on picnic. Fare for the round trip from They went out to Oakland Park to Fairlawn Park, only

the morning and 5 cents. Marriage Licenses. John A. Francis, Decator, 22 Mary Crawford, Harristown, 20. City ticket office will keep open Sat.

urday night for the sale of tickets for St. Louis excursion. -16-dtd Conductors on the street cars will sell you hack tickets good from the west on West William end of Main street to Fairlawn Park Everybody is in- and roturn for five cents on the day of

the Woodman picnic.

TWENTY-EIGHTH YEAR

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, MONDAY, AUGUST 21, 1899.

## THE DREYFUS TRIAL DAYS

Further Evidence Against the Famous Captain.

Not Allowed to Appear at the Hearing Today.

#### FABRE'SDAMAGING TESTIMONY

Chain of Circumstantial Evidence Connecting Dreyfus with Valuable Documents-Another Day of Assertions Against Accused -Not Ready to Reply.

I. NNES, August 21-Maitre Labori we not present at the opening of the the previous trial. He 1- )10\_ressing favorably, but the physi-Gia s thought best for him not to aptear just yet.

#### The Testimony.

1.2 first witness of the day was Gen ral Fabre, former chief of the harth hurean of the general staff. He First he had compared the handwiriting of the bordereau with that of various of is of the bureau, including Dreyis, to which it bore a remarkable resemblance. He declared Dreyfus was distrusted by his fellow officers on account of his extra-ordinary efforts to learn the secret plan of the concentration of troops, with the result that h regneted his duties. His duties put it in Drevfus' power to disclose the

documents referred to in the bordereau. Demange pointed out that this testimay deffered from that given by the wrae-- in 1894.

Drayfus, in replying to the witness, admitted that it was his duty to keep the dosser relating to concentration posted up, but it was no light task.

Colonel D'Abouville, former deputy cold of the fourth bureau, related how General Fabre showed him a Photograph of an annonymous note, evidently to some one outside of the army, intimating that the writer had tate These documents could have en communicated by Dreyfus and the handwriting bore a striking resimilance to his.

Cornetort, former chief of delivery, had that he was present when Paty de Clam subjected Drevfus to the the first the prisoner showed evident specimens." then mess. He received the impres-Fon that Dreyfus was guilty. He had not then seen the bordereau, otherwise not know what was charged against

At the conclusion of Cochefort's testra my, Dreyfus said he would not Pd's tel Paty de Clam was present. Res Cognizant of Dreyfus' relations lived together until 1897. with loose women. He said at the Heating test Paty De Clam pointed in were cold.

M. or Lauth testified that he behevel the bordersau was delivered to Const Henry by an emissary outside ters on the Monday morning following. The witness told of being shown ant outing the to lereau by Henry at that time. He Gerlared that the Schnieder letter and equanated from "Agent Pierrie." known as "Petit Blen," after it left One doesn't get rid of bills by tear-

words were written in ink made of words were written in ink made of logwood. This testimony was given COLONEL BRYAN while Lauth was still on the stand. Lauth said that when he photographed the petit blen, he saw no sign of erasure.

The Daily

Picquart replied that the plate taken by Lauth bore no traces of erasures. Mighty Cemocratic Leaders Op- Democrats in New York Turn The photographs alone were tampered with.

Captain Juneke, a probationer at the same time as Dreyfus, testified at some length, going into particulars of Dreyfus' intrigues with women, as related to him by Dreyfus. He declared that the latter was fully cognizant of the plans for the transportation and concentration of troops and declared further that it was utterly impossible for Henry to have divulged the documents referred to in the bordersan.

Dreyfus in replying to the witness said he would not speak of the latter's confidences to him. He denied that he (Dreyfus) had ever gambled at the club at Mans; he declared the probationers, at the time the bordereau was written, knew they were not to go to the maneuvres. He had no information through a cousin in the foreign office, because he had no consin there. As to the plans for providing t he troops, he helped print part of them, but he only saw a small portion.

## BASE BALL

AUGUST 19.

Boston 9, Brooklyn 0, Philadelphia 4, New York 2. Pittsburg 11-3, Cleveland 1-8. Baltimore 11, Washington 1, AUGUST 20.

St. Louis 10, Cincinnati 1. Chicago 8. Cleveland 7. Louisville 5. Chicago 0.

The clubs now stand in this order Brocklyn, Boston, Philádelphia, Baltimore. St. Louis. Cincipnati, Chicago. Pittsburg, New York, Louisville, Washington, Cleveland,

#### CARIBOU CEMETERIES.

Places Where the Animals Go to Shed Their Horns and Final-

A recent number of Forest and Stream contains the following contribution from a Quebec correspondent concerning the habit moose and caribou have of going to the same place, scason after season, to shed their antlers:

"The idea of the animals seeking a definite place for this purpose was quite new to me, but lately the efficient superintendent of game and fisheries at Quebec, L. Z. Joncas, Esq., has told me hat they do frequent such places, and that this habit was quite well known to him. He knew of many and mentioned several places where horns could almost certainly be found at any time. And not only do they go to shed their horns, but they go there to die. These places are known as cemeteries, and whole skeletons are occasionally found. confidential documents to communi- This, however, would be rare, as the bones would usually be torn apart and

scattered by bears and other carnivorae.
"Mr. Joneas instanced the case of a gentleman going to a certain region for geological exploration, who asked for permit to shoot a moose out of season In order to get a good pair of autlers. He was told that by diverging a little from his route he might reach a place where he could find plenty of them famous dictation test. He said from He did so and secured five excellent

#### Photographic Exhibit.

November 15 has been decided upon hy Mr. Neisler as the date for his the impression might have been modi- amateur display. There is a great fal Dreyfus at the time protested deal of interest being taken in the Best nee and declared that he did exhibit and the indications are that it will be much larger than the one

#### Asks for Divorce.

By her attorney, J. M. Gray, Mrs. Arminta A. McCourt today filed a bill of complaint in the circuit court ask-6: on, the principal archivist of ing for a divorce from her husband, the in enquarters stuff, asserted his Stephen T. McCourt. She alloges item: in Dreyfus' guilt and said he habitual dronkenness and non-support. The couple were married in 1883 and

#### Election Postponed. The election of officers in the Senior

Christian Endeavor society of the taking. Dreyfus replied that his First Presbyterian church was postponed from Sunday last until Sunday, August 27.

#### Campers are Home. The members of the Culver camping

of n a quarters on Saturday evening party, who have been camping on the and by Henry handed into headquar- Haworth farm, west of the city, re-

#### Moving Restaurant.

The room on East Main street forof November 30, 1897, was authentic merly occupied by Authony's store, has been fitted up for a restaurant and Colonel Picquart testified concern. Harvey Greider has begun moving his ing alterations in the postal card Licnoln Square Cafe into the place.

his possession. Alterations of quite a ling them up, but they are disposed of serious character were made, words for the time being.

being erased and others written in. The address written in ink was made some silly name her romantic novel given in one of the down town store that he did not know what had caused of the down town store that he did not know what had caused of the control of the down town store that he did not know what had caused of the control of the contr of gall nuts, while the superimposed reading mother gave her.

# IN THE SOUTH

posed to Standing Candidate.

Pick Out a New Man.

LOUISVILLE, KY., August 21 .-Telegrams sent to all the senthern his re-election. states develop the fact that leaders in | Several thousand tickets were issued

and Capt. T. E. Bash, the head of the re-elected. Alabama Consolidated Coal and Iron Alabama Democracy.

Harrington of Gainesville, who is secondec by Chairman Fleming G. Dubignon of the state central committee, and D. B. Hamilton and C. B. ready to put up a finish fight.

The Tennessee anti-Bryan movement is led by Gen. J. H. Jackson of the printing." famous Belle Meade stock farm, who will spend his money to conduct the partner in the Belle Meade establish-Jackson are F. M. McHenry of Nash- for the official ticket. ville and other leaders of note. A bitter war will be waged on Bryan in

that state. In Florida W. R. Caulton, S. F. Mand and T. V. Porter are leading Son of Ex-President Harthe war on Bryan, and hope to send an anti-Bryan delegation to the na-

Although Governor McSweeney is for Bryan in South Carolina, there are general, is critically ill with yellow some influential leaders against Bryan. fever. The disease has been progress-Among them is C. S. Sinkler, who is | iug for three days, although not proconsidered a regiment in himself in a nonneed vellow fever until Sunday

political fight, North Carolina is also fighting againt Bryan include J. S. Wilson of moved last month to escape infection. Charlotte, F. C. Olds, E. G. Mears, F. M. Fox and others.

another Texas leader, is placed in the tere at night. anti-Bryan ranks.

In Louisiana, Senator McCafferty will fight Bryan, as wiil A. B. Cooper, E. D. Mevers, A. J. Hause and other leaders of more than state reputation.

In Kentucky, Bryan will be knifed by the bolting element in the Demoeratic party, which is the most influential of the two warring factions. Judge Tarvin is expected to go on the warpath for Bryan.

The Nebraska man has arrayed two silver be made a secondary issue has placed many ultra silverites in the ranks of the anti-Bryan men.

Unless Bryau can send a solid southern delegation to the national conventurned to the city today. They had a tion he is defeated, as his own lieutenbeautiful location and enjoyed a pleas- anta admit. Telegrams from southern states say he can not do this. Captain T. E. Bush, president of the Ala. Superintendent Armstrong Visited bama Consolidated Coal and Iron company, is the latest to enter the ranks of the anti-Bryan people. He declares that Bryan can not carry the south, and he will fight him to a finish. The anti-Bryan sentiment is growing.

Chicken Fry.

## **DEWEY PICTURES** TO THE WALL

Republican.

Down the Admiral

Southern Statesmen to Because He Spoke Praising McKinley.

NEW YORK, August 21. -- Admiral William J. Bryan has the fight of his Dewey's picture has been turned to life on to capture the delegations from the wall by the managers of the prothe southern states to the next Bemo- jected Ridgewood outing of the United cratic national convention, and the Domocratic clubs of the borough of outlook now is that he will find badly Queens because it was said the addivided delegations from the states miral had expressed admiration for south of the Mason and Dixon line. Fresident McKinley and a desire for

each state who represent money and for the occasion bearing an excellent influence have opened the fight within wreathed portrait of Admiral Dewey. the ranks of the Democratic party When they began to circulate through against Bryan, and will wage war on Rockaway beach members of the him to the finish. In Alabama Banker Democratic club in that ward objected J. H. Willett is beading the auti- to the picture, contending that the Bryan fight. He has as his lieutenants admiral was not a Democrat, as they such men as E. L. Turner, F. B said they had read in the papers that Pickering, J. F. Hendricks, J. J. Mc- be expressed a high regard for Presi-Intyre, F. B. Rush, M. B. Welborn dent McKinley and a desire to see him ful like and the honeysuckles wuz

Demands on the outing committee Alabama Consolidated Coal and Iron Demands on the outing committee but us two. Jim sot thar awhile, kinder company. These leaders have unto recall the Dewey tickets and have hemmin' an' athawin', and not gittin' limited means and influence in the others printed without the admiral's to the p'int, and stutterin' out somepicture followed persistent circulation favor to him, and so forth and so on, The fight in Georgia against Bryan of the story. What arguments were till I got most were to a frazzle, and I Chinese situation, commercially and has already been opened by Charles used is not definitely known, but the riz to the occasion myself, as the committee was induced to make the change demanded.

More than 1500 of the Dewey tickets had been sold when word was sent to he's fifty, goin' on fifty-one, ef he's Woods all business men, who are the various clubs throughout the a day-and of you want to ax me to borough that the first issue would be marry you, why don't you do it had be done with it?' An' what do you think

All unsold tickets were turned in and duplicates without the admiral's cate it. On the contrary, I replied: campaign. Richard Crocker, until picture were then substituted, while two years ago, was General Jackson's purchasers of the Deway tickets were told they could exchange their Dewey ment. Co-operating with General tickets at the different headquarters

## rison a Very Sick Man.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, August 21. -Major Russell B. Harrison, inspector afternoon.

The case is the first to occur at grandly. The war horses counted Cristo, whither headquarters was re-

Of late the quarantine rules have been relaxed, owing to the fact that E. M. Stevenson and H. D. Slater there have been no new cases in the will make things warm for Bryan in city, and officers from headquarters l'exas, although Gov. Jos Sayers is have been in the habit of coming to for the Nebraska man. H. B. Parker, Santiago daily, returning to headquar-

Major Harrison has been isolated. but not brought to the fover hospital.

## **BAD INDIANS**

Troops Sent to Quell Trouble in Arizona.

WINSLOW, ARIZONA, August 21. -Two hundred Indians belonging to the grading gang at Navajo Springs. factions in his own party against him threaten to exterminate all the whites in the south. The gold men are in that section. They were paid off hostile to him, and then his Des ou the 15th and began drinking and Moines speech advocating that free gambling. Trouble followed with a gambler named Landreth, whom they lay the form of the Katipunan, which shot and scalped and then mutilated the body. Serious trouble is feared. Troops have been ordered to the scene from Ft. Wingate.

#### NIANTIC STRIKE.

Mine Today to Learn the Trouble. W. C. Armstrong, superintendent

that place. Last Friday the men em ployed in the mine went out on a The ladies of the First Baptist strike for the reason, it is understood, church will give a chicken fry on Fri- that they had trouble with Manager Many a woman carries to ber grave day, September 15. It will likely be Healey. Mr. Armstrong said today the men to strike. They had given fitting outlines.

him no warning and he went to Nihim no warning and he went to Ni-autic for the purpose of learning the OPTIMISTIC cause of the trouble.

MISS LIZY'S TRIBULATION.

"Miss Lizy," as she was known in the

The Course of True Love in Her Case . Certainly Did Not Bun Smooth.

mountain region of the upper Cumberand, was a spruce spinster of 40 or thereabouts, and it was generally understood that she would be willing to wed if sufficiently urged. She owned a good little creek farm, was thrifty, and for some cause unknown she had acquired the title of "Miss," that affix of the Christian name of women not being usual among the mountaineers. Her neighbor was one James Hogue, a widower, who owned a farm adjoining Miss Lizy's. One day she came into the company's commissary, and calling me off to a remote corner, she fairly blazed with wrath us she made me her

"I s'pose you know, colonel," she exclaimed, in a hourse whisper, "that fool Jim Hogue that lives adjinin' to my

She knew I knew Mr. Hogue, but she seemed to want my spoken testimony on the point, and I told her I knew him. "Well, I want to tell you about him," she went on. "I've jist got to tell some-body, colonel, er I'll bust clean wide open, and I won't tell none uv these iffrafft 'round here, so I come to you.' I thanked her for this mark of her

confidence and esteem.

"Well," she said, "you know he's been kinder settin' to me here lately, and sorter holdin' out hopes, though Lordy massy knows what a woman could hope fer, giftin a critter like him, and yistiddy evenin', when work wuz dune and things wuz mighty still and peacesmellin' the'r sweetest, he comes up and sets on my porch, and nobody 'round thin' he had to ax uv me, bein' a great speechmakers says:

"'Lookee here, Jim Hogue,' says I, 'what air you thrashin' 'round the thicket that a-way fer? You ain't no schoolboy with yer thum' in yer mouth marry you, why don't you do it and recalled "owing to an error in the he said to that, colonel? What do you think he said to that?" she fairly hissed at me in her wrath.

I had an idea, but I didn't communi-"I presume, Miss Lizy, he thanked you for coming so promptly and grace-fully to his relief."

"Did he!" she actually snorted. "Did he? Well, he didn't! 'Miss Lizy,' says he, ''twasn't that ezzackly I wanted to ax you. What I wanted wuz the loan uv yer gray mule fer tomorrer to plow that patch uv corn over on tother side uv the crick. My hoss got foundered las' night an' is laid up. Kin I git the mule in the mornin', Miss Lizy?' auds are in revolt. That's what he said, colonel," she con cluded, "an' ez I said, I've got to tell omebody, er I'll bust wide open. Would you marry a man like that ef

he ever did ax you, colonel?"

"Miss Lizy," I said with all the gravity I could command, and in the verneular, "I shore would not!"-Washington Star.

#### THE KATIPUNAN,

Secret Organization of the Philippines That Is Under Con-

The rich natives who had become

masons in Spain formed masonic lodges

when they returned to Manila. Their

sho find in masonry the key of all iniquities. There is even an awful tale of female lodge in operation in Manila. that of the Japanesa. Doubtless these lodges were more or less given to political intrigue, an in other countries where masoury is unbut they had no definite political programme. In 1892, rich and intellecual atives returning from Spain organized the Liga Filipina, to promote educational and industrial progress with a iew to national regeneration and ultimate liberation. This association did not long survive repressive measures, and its influence was captured by a rival, the Katimman, which was conducted by the ignorant and obscure for the same avowed purposes as the Liga Filipina. Its crude ritual enforced the drawing of blood from the arm for use n signing the rolls. This pledge of brotherhood is based on notions cur- tions: rent throughout the primitive world Magellan and Legaspi had mingled blood and wine to drink pledges of alliance with Filipino chiefs and tribes, The Japanese drop blood into the seal of sacred pledges. Between these rites has been denounced as cannibalistic by every Spanish chronicler. Thousands have been imprisoned and hundreds shot because their arms bore the scar of initiation. The growth of the Katipunan order

was rapid. Tens of thousands were added during the three years preceding the outbreak.—Harper's Magazine. Fill Weddike Dowry.

Fiji islands. They are painted white

and red, the red teeth being worth about 20 times as much as the white. The of the coal mines of the Decatur Coal native carries his wealth around Co., went to Number today to look his neck, the red and white of his coininto the strike which is now on at | age forming a brilliant contrast to his A common and curious sight in the Fiji islands is a newly married wife presenting her husband with a dowry of whales' teeth.—Chicago

Costumes will still preserved tight.

NUMBER 117

# **SCHURMAN**

Only a Small Fraction of the Philippines in Revolt.

## KEEP THE ISLANDS

is the Thing for the United States to Do.

#### BIG CHANGE IN TWENTY YEARS

Predicted by the President of the Phillippine Commission-Summary of a Talk liven Saturday

> at Omaha - Only the Tagalogs in Rebellion.

OMAHA, NEB., August 21.-President Schurman of the Philippines commission, talked for four hours Saturday afternoon to a correspondent. This distinguished scholar has made an exhaustive study, not only of the Philippine question and all of its related problems, but also of the politically. While Prof. Schurman would not

discuss the war or tell the conclusions he has reached, he talked fully and freely on subjects which are ontside and yet part of his mission. On these points the following is a summary of his views:

"The rebellion is not a Philippine rebellion; it is a Tagalog rebellion, The rebellion does not even embrace all of the Island of Luzon.

"The Filipinos are a desirable set of

"The Filipinos will, when peace is restored, yield to the elevating and softening influences of education.

"No more than 1,500,000 of the 9,000,000 people of the Philippine Isl-

#### Negros is Friendly.

"The people of the big Negros Island are friendly.

"All of the other people of the entire Philippine group of 500 islands, with the exception of the Tagalogs-who comprise one-half of the natives of Luzou-are neutral. The natives of the other islands, who are nominally in revolt, are, in fact, only terrorised

and coerced by the Tagaloga "Two generations of education in the Philippines will bring the people nistory is preserved by those waiters of these islands to a state, of advancement that will equal in most essentials

"The Sulu group, comprising the southern third of the Philippine archiler the ban of authority and religion, pelago, is at peace, and will remain so. The sultan of Suln has seconted the situation, only asking a favor at the hands of the United States.

> "The difficulties in the Philippines are, therefore, not difficult to overcome. The retention of these islands is a thing to be desired by the people of the United States."

> As to the outlook for trade in the Philippines, this may be taken as the result of Prof. Schurman's investiga-

> "The people of the Philippines will be consumers of American products, not only in this decade, but in generations to come. They constitute the only people, practically, in the Orient, who will be large buyers of either Europe or America, eventually. The opportunity for investment in these islands is good.

#### An Unclaimed Paradise.

"Mindanso, which is as large as Luzon, is an unclaimed paradise for Whales' teeth form the coinage of the investors and speculators. The chimate of Mindanao and the southern miands of the great group is cool and pleasant. "For reasons of commerce and he-

> cause of the opportunities for investmont, the Philippine Islands should remain as they are-s part of the United States. "As to the prospects of trade in

China-the Chinese are quick to imi-Continued on Fifth Page.

### REVIEW BOARD

Assessment Changes

#### IN THE CITY OF DECATUR LATER RENNES PROCEEDINGS.

Many High Valuations Reduced-Property in the Old Town and Western Additions.

The following are the changes made by the board of review in the assessment in the city of Decatur. In each case the assessment was lowered to the amount indicated, except where indicated that it was raised:

#### ORIGINAL TOWN.

Block 4-Lot 1, A. Wait, \$20,600 south half of lot 2, A. Wait. \$10,000; north half of lot 12, Charles Laux, \$12,000; lot 3, Charles Laux, \$93,000. Resurvey of Lot 4, Block 4 of Original Town-Lot 1, Carrie M. Perl, \$15,000; lot 2, C. A. Carter, \$9500; lot

Starr. \$10,000. Resurvey of Lot 5, Block 4-P. B. Ryder, \$3000.

3, W. H. Starr, \$10,000; lot 4, W. H.

Block 5 of Original Town-Part of lot 1, A. J. Wood, \$3000; lot 4, C. F. Butzbach, \$3425

BLOCK 4 BANDY'S ADDITION. North half lot 1, Clara Stommel, \$3000; lot 2, Mary A. Mason, \$5000; lot 3, Mary A. Mason, \$2500; lot 4, B. J. McBride, \$3000; lot 5, A. R. Montgomery, \$3500; lot 6, J. B. Dinges, \$4300; S. C. Toof, \$2500; lot 8, S. C. Toof, \$3100; lot 9, C. D. Webb, \$3300; lot 10, Robert Leforgee, \$4000; lot 11, possils were advanced. J. A. Brown, \$5500; west half of lot A. Brown, \$6500; lot 13, John A. British proposals."

#### WESTERN ADDITION.

Block 11-D. L. Hunn, \$6850; John R. Miller, 50 foot lot, \$9000; J. A. Stamper, 50 foot lot, \$3000; George Simpson, 150x00 feet, raised to \$7000.

Block 6-Lot 1, J. R. Race, raised to \$3500; 12 foot lot, Aten L. Lytle, \$500; 63 foot lot, W. D. Lewis, \$3900; lot 8, B. Stine, \$9000; lot 9, Nancy Howenstine, \$4800; lot 10, Mary Macoughtry,

Block 5-Lot 7, William Traver, \$9500; lots 11 and 12, Sullivan Burgess, \$5500.

Q. H. MOORE'S ADD. BLOCK 11. North end lot 9, German parsonage, \$1000; lot 2, G. J. Danzisen, \$3000; lot S. G. J. Danzisen, \$4500; lot 6, to reinstate the man discharged. George W. Scovill, \$4500; lot 7, Laura Whitsit, \$3750.

E. O. SMITH'S RESURVEY.

Of Block 14 of Western Addition-Lot 1, William L. Hammer, \$4200; 50 off lot 2, C.W. Wikoff, (J. L. Thayer),

WESTERN ADD. BLOCK 2. Lot 3, Richard Brown, \$2200; F. W. Neidemeyer, 60 feet, \$3400.

Resurvey of Lots 4, 5 and 6-Lot 4, E. F. Kuny, \$3600; lot 5, P. Mc-Kusker, 80 feet, \$3200; lot 5, E. F.

DURFEE'S SUBDIVISION. Lots 1, 2 and 3 in Block 3-Lot 3

and east half of lot 4, C. T. Johnson \$2400; west half lot 4 and lot 5, L. H. Clark, \$2500. WESTERN ADD. BLOCK 4

Lot 1, east half lot 2 and lot 3, Hadessah Powers, \$7700; north half and lot 3, P. H. Brueck, \$5000. C. H. MOORE ADD., BLOCK 15.

Lot 1, D. L. Bunn, \$3000; part of lot 4 M. D. Hook, \$3150.

OUTLOTS WESTERN ADD. Part of lot 6, J. W. Morrison, \$1900; part of lots 6 and 7, J. Wiley Hall,

MILLIKIN PLACE ADD. Block I, lot 3, C. E. Schroll; lot 4, C. F. Bachman; lot 5, H. W. Hill; of Mrs. Charles Cassell. lot & H. W. Hill; lot 7, C. F. Bachman, each \$1000; lot 8, W. T. Bendles, \$1700; lot 9, H. Howell, \$650; lot 10, asked and the people who stay away C. Passo, \$600; lot 11, J. Millikin, \$350; lot 12, J. Millikin, \$150; lot 14, cause for regret. C. E. Shultz, \$1000; lot 16, E. Dona hue, raised to \$5300; lot 17, Ellen Donahue, \$1100; lot 18, D. E. Brooks, raised to \$4800; let 22, A. Mueller, raised to \$4000; lot 24, C. Schroll,

raised to \$7000. Block 2-Lot 3, M. E. McClelland, \$4000; lot 4, T. J. Freeland raised market. The Genuine Haines Piano to \$4500; L. Drake, \$5000; has the name of "Haines Bros." on lot 14. George Moeller, \$1700; lot 15, the fron plate and also on the fall T. L. Pegram, \$3000; lot 17, A. Wil-board. son, \$2600.

H. S. EVANS SECOND SUB-DIV. Of a part of the northwest quarter of section 15-Lot 3 and a part of lot 4, W. A. Bridges, \$2200; lot 10, L. Abe Lindley, the eight year old son Stafford, \$1000.

of section 15—Lot 7, E. P. Johnson, Salt Lake, Utah, Sunday, of diphtheria \$800; lot 8, D. M. Garver, \$1300; lot The boy was with the party of com-10, John Ronan, \$1200; lot 12, O. C. missioners making a tour of the west. Stafford, \$1200; lot II, O. C. Stafford, \$1200; part of 7 and 8, Sophia Drobisch, \$800; lot 9, J. F. Roach, \$1200. BRUECK'S SECOND ADD.

Of Caldwell's Besurvey-Lot 1, Ed. Sowning, \$1806; lot 8, P. P. Harnmond, \$1350; lot 4, G. W. Scovill,

BRUECK'S SECOND ADD.

Block 1-Lot 5, H. L Baldwin, \$1100; lot 6, Mary Bailey, \$1600; lot 7, C. Ammann, \$500; lot 9, William Black, \$800; lot 10, S. S. Jack, \$850; lot 11, First Results of the Tax S. S. Jack, \$800; lot 12, H. A. Wood Of New U. B. Church at & Co., \$800.

Elock 2-E. W. Rinehart, \$800; lot 3, E. W. Rinehart, \$800; lot 7, W. H.

RENNES, August 21. - When Drey fus finished Bertullus came forward and in effect accased Juncke of lying when he said the witness told him (Juncke) that he (Bertullus) did not believe Esterbazy guilty. Bertullus asserted that he believed Esterhazy guilty from the first and Juncke's statement to the contrary came from a wish which was father to the thought.

same thing at the time of the alleged interview.

egard to Juncke.

Then Picquart had a short innings, referring to the petit bleu to demonstrate the valuelessness of Juncke's evidence. Court adjourned.

## the British Proposal.

CAPE TOWN, August 21 .- The report that the Transvaal has handed a reply to the British proposition to the British agent at Pretoria is confirmed It is believed that the proposition is not acceded to, but that fresh pro-

LONDON, August 21. - The colonial 14. Jacob Diller, \$3000; east haf of lot office confirms the dispatch from Cape 14, C. O. Young, \$3100; east half lot Town that the Transvaul bas handed a Genevieve Clark Wilson, who selected 15, Frank Roach, \$1650; west half lot reply to the British agent at Pretoria. for her first song Michaela's beautiful 16, Frank Roach, \$850; 30 feet off lot It will add only this: "The reply is aria in "Carmen." Mrs. Wilson has 16, Jesse Fisher, \$2500; lot 12, John not a complete acceptance of the the ideal physique of a singer. She

The Miners Will Resume Work Again on Tuesday.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., August 21. The miners at the Decatur Coal company's mine at Niantic will return to work tomorrow, the trouble having een adjusted today. A miner was discharged by the superintendent, the miners allege without cause, and they struck. The operators agreed today

#### EASTERN STARS

Are Entertaining Large Crowds at Riverside Park-Good Out of Town Attendance.

The already large crowd at the Eastern Star picnic at Riverside park will be greatly swelled by the numbers who will go out for supper. The street cars all afternoon have been loaded with passengers, and private conveyances have taken out a large number. The program this evening will, of course, be the best part of

mens have been made to accommodate hundreds of people. The program for the matinee, which was held from 2 to 8:30 this afternoon, was given as follows:

the day's entertainment and arrange-

Overture by Orchestra 2. Vocal Solo-Miss Jennie Ran-

3. Bowline Sclo-W. L. Smith. 4. Recitaiton-Miss Edith Starr.

5. Musical Glasses-Mr. and Mrs W. L. Smith. 6. Vocal Solo, "I Love Thee"-Miss Amy Hovey.

7. Recitation, "Bill Smith"-Miss Emily A. Thomas. 8. Two-Step Cake, Walk, by Papils

The out of town attedance is good, the day is all that could have been from the pionic will certainly have

Pennsylvania lawn mowers, Scovill Co. -6-dtf

We would respectfully caution the public not to confound the Genuine 'Haines Bros.'' piano with several of a similar name which are now on the Prescott Music House. -21-

Old Musty Ale on Draught. "The

of Judge Cicero J. Lindley of Green-H. S. EVANS' FIRST SUB-DIV. | ville, chairman of the Illinois railroad Of a part of the northwest quarter and warehouse commission, died at All will return home at once.

-Miss Ida Lewis, of the Decatur Gas and Electric company, will leave tomorrow on a two weeks' vacation.



### DEDICATION

Dalton City Held Sunday

THE BUILDING COST \$3,125

And Money to Cover All the Indebtedness was Raised-Addresses by Elder Field, Dr. W.R. Funk and Others.

The new U. B. church at Dalton City was dedicated on Sunday. Services were hald all day and were largely attended. Addresses were de-General Gonse then intervened and livered by Rev. L. Field, presiding said Juncke and Henry told him the elder of the district; Dr. W. R. Funk, agent for the U. B. publishing house of Dayton, Ohic; Rev. M. R. Myer of Lexintgon, Ill., and Rev. Athey of Bertullus reiterated his statement in Decatur. Rev. George Carter is pastor of the church and had charge of the services.

The church was erected at a cost of \$3125 and on Sunday \$1250 was pledged, which more than covers the outstanding indebteduess. The main body of the church is 44x84 feet in dimensions. There are pews seating 335 persons and there is an annex 20x24 feet, supplied with chairs. The pulpit is in an cove at one end of the church The Boers Do Not Accept and the place is lighted with Welsbach gasoline lamps. There are two vestibule entrances to the church and a large tower 57 feet high. In the top of the tower is a church bell weighing 950 pounds. There are few handsomer churches in Elder Field's district.

> Old Musty Ale on Draught. "The Peerless."

A Magnificent Soprano. The next number introduced Mrs.

also has the voice of a singer, which is the main essential. Here is a pure soprano, of no phononmenal range, but of aclear crystal quality and satisfying volume in the upper register. Refore she had sung a dozen bars of the arla, AT NIANTIC she had sung a dozen bars of the aria, it was apparent that Mrs. Wilson had perfect control of her voice. In response to her first encore she gave a characteristic little ballad most exressively. Later she sang Chaminade's 'Partout' Henschel's "Spring" and 'A Song of Thanksgiving'by Allitsen, the later a stirring and rhythmic, composition, in pleasing contrast with "Spring."—St. Paul Globe, November 26, 1997,

Mrs. Wilson is the leading soprano engaged for "The Messiah" at the season's opening of the opera house, September 5.

Bethesda-A Reliable Cure. Bethesda Mineral Spring Water is a reliable cure for Bright's Disease, Diabetes and other ailments in which the kidneys are involved. It is prescribed by foremost physicians. Sold by all first-class druggists everywhere in sealed helf-gallon bottles, guaranteeing its purity. Try it. It may save your life. Bethesda Mineral Spring Co., Waukesha, Wis.

Sam Quinn's Condition.

pears an extended reference to Sam Quinn, a generous soul, who was formerly cutter at the Race company store in this city. Sam, after going to Chicago, became a gambler and was at one time worth \$100,000. Now he is in reduced circumstances, half blind and a patient at St. Luke's hospital. He is receiving the attention of the fraternity during his illness.

#### VISIBLE SUPPLY.

37,000,000 bushels, corn 8,000,000 bushels, oats 4,000,000 bushels.

-Miss Ida Stephen has resumed her position in the Linn & Scrugge store after two weeks' vacation.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Atways Bought



GLASSES. \*\*\*

Think of eye-glasses that don't pinch the nose. No skin abrasions. No black and blue indentat oss. And yet—no elipping or tipping or falling off of the glasses. That's our kind. The complete satisfaction and comfort given by our made to order glasses is daily mak-ing our optical work more popular. The frames fit so perfectly that they are not felt. More becoming than illting ready-made glasses, and yet the price is no higher.



# Closing Sale of

Perfect Fitting, Well Made, All Lengths, Less Than the Price of Yard Goods.

3 doz. Pique Skirts at \$1.00, worth \$2.00.

3 doz. Fine Pique Skirts, trimmed with wide insertion, \$2.95 each, regular price \$5.00.

Fine White Lawn Shirt Waists, new fresh goods, a small surplus to close; Shirt Waists worth \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00, to close at \$1.95 each.

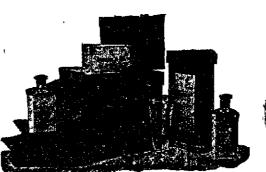
50 Black Brocade Brilliantine Dress Skirts, worth \$2.00,

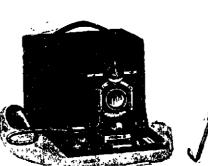
25 Black and Navy, All Wool, Scotch Cheviot Dress Skirts, light weight fine goods, worth \$5.50, to close at \$3.50 each.

Ladies' All Wool Tan Covert Cloth Light Weight Jackets, lined all through, for \$2.98, worth \$5.00.



references esterber effektereter







# HEADQUARTERS for Photographic Goods

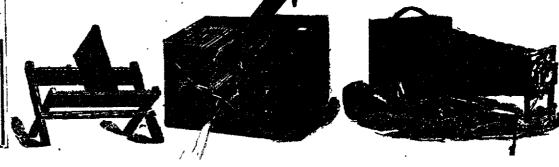
OF ALL KINDS, at Prices Never Heard of Before.

During the preparation for our Annual Contest, which is to take place NO-CHICAGO, August 21.—The visible VEMBER 15th, 1899, we will make the following net cash prices on Dry supply of grain is as follows: Wheat, Plates, unless forced to advance our present wholesale prices.

۱	LIST PRIC	PRICE	OUR PRICE.			
	LISI	PRIOL.	Hammer.	BEED 26 X AND ORAMER BANNER.	REED 27 AND	
1		25c	17	20	20	
١	2 x 2		20	22	25	
1	21 x 24	40c	27	1 30	<b>3</b> 3	
	31 x 31	40c	80	35	37	
i	34 x 44	45c	40	45	50	
	4½ x 4½	60c	45	47	52	
	4 x 5	65c	ደብ ብ	65	75	
	4½ x 6½	90c	74	77	88	
	5 x 7	\$1.10	91	90	\$1.00	
		1.25 1.65	\$1.10	\$1.20	1.32	
	121 - XX		4-1-4			

We have a large shipment of cards now being got out by one of the large Eastern manufacturers, which will eclipse any stock ever shown in this part of the state, and at prices you can afford to use nice cards for your work. Come and see us and we will do you good. This is no Old Horse Sale, but Fresh, New Goods, and at the right prices and discount.

W. F. Neisler Drug and Supply Co.



# OPTIMISTIC

"How do people be

encungs, any vay<sup>v</sup>

without jeulouse."

Adam and Eve? -1

-Town Toples

Madre-"In my a fers of marriage. M

Pana (from bend c

a pill rolling around

ter--"Oh, it's Choic had an idea."- Syrae

Lover (bravely)

If I were in your pl.

wanttomarry her n

Amateur Sportsm

bring down, Pat " 1

man-"Where's the

"Picking at the dea

Descen Jones. 1

right for people to church?" Descon !

de you жиррене P а

out then to slee.

Increable.--"Fra-

the Patriot's club

see the Philadelphia

the sage. It ruch

oneen of the local bill

Granddaughter "W

and we boven't wnB

length of it vet " Old

How near will well

we get to the ma

NEW YORK MA

Surpi ance I ere

A Belt in the Em

"I have sopped

maple arup, and p

the maple sugar

from the was vult

bilin's of five states.

ineluding Schohara

und a man from O

up and say, and to

I said, that the sun

land nor quickened

of anything that co

thick of being one

maple sugar that

boiled down out of a strup that Shoharie

its sugar, or the a

pulled out of both of

before I got over r

When I struck a suc-

hat I had never kno

ould really be mad

county. Then I etc

mear really was

whatever of excedie

mapie sugar ci 🖂

of their contiguity

"As a matter of t

reminded of it by

and found that it

000 pounds, I don t

ougur made in all 🖰

belt extending trees

barie and Otacgo a

county, thus state Wayne and Suquel

Pennschania If the

that belt would on

products of the Ver-

as their bethres is

their aradust rack

Anyhows a mildo supar from a spr

in three countries

count, and makes

of fills in the clap.

Traveler.

North American

blew his head all off

Journal.

ried."="Pl.dadciphra

He-"I in I now th

Continued from First Page.

tate, and they may, by reason of forcign invasion, become the manufacturers of the world. England does three-fourths of the foreign trade with China. The United States sells one. the hith of the goals that China imports. The other eighth is sold by Garmany, France, Russia Spain, Italy most other countries of Europe.

"The United States should not rer am passive if the doors of trade greated be closed in China by any I mopean power. The United States should hold the same view of the c mese trade facilities as England

When he spoke of Mindanao, Prof. s mrman paused in his description of script . THE enough to say that if he were an oning man starting out in the world son, as they sat sap to how a place for himself, he would 10 Mindanao.

W. C. T. U. Contest.

Die W. C. T. U. will give their the silver medal contest at the the trans Tabernacle on Thursday coming at 8 o'clock, August 24. Adcosmon 10 cents. Children under 12. . . . . n(s, --21-d4t

Venetian pink will be used for

Cupe de chines will be used for

### CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Hears the Chart Thickes

#### **10c** Buys Two Chanson Cigars

while for some others you pay the same for one and get no bettet. A Rich, Cool Smoke.

You're "Next!"

THE BEST...

PAYNE'S 8-Chair Barber Shop. and I reflected o.

Hot Weather Smoke.

10 NEW BATH ROOMS-THE FINEST IN THE CITY. Under Cheap Charley's.

( COpen Sunday mornings for Baths

#### MONEY... Our Charges Are Reasonable.

on Personal or Chattel Mortgage so We are prepared to loan any amount can't Real Estate Loans at current

Pegram & Co., Citizens' Bank Building.



ting in the coin w great nation up A. Y Sup.

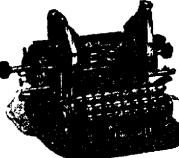
We are very anxion

until we have trout

YOU ought to know ing from any kitter). sure remedy is hose. Guaranteed or money

An Imitation of Not





The Oliver Typewrite owee its popularity to its advanced features in mechanic which give it VISIBLE WRITING.

HNOT IN THE TRUST THE OLIVER TYPEWRITE Fullerton Building, ST.

PENNINGTON BROS., Local. ROOM 14, COLUMBIA BLOCK.

We Handle Typewriter Supplies.

33333333333333333

Well Made, ss Than the oods.

rth 3209. ned with wide insertion,

new fresh goods, a small sts worth \$3.00, \$3.50 and

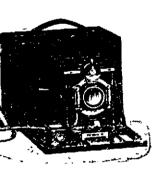
Dress Skirts, worth \$2.00,

ol, Scotch Cheviot Dress ods, worth \$5.50, to close

ert Cloth Light Weight for \$2.93, worth \$5.00.



effe effekelefe





## ERS for raphic Goods

Never Heard of Before.

Contest, which is to take place Nothe following net cash prices on Dry sent wholesale prices.

C	UR PRICE	<del>-</del> .
	SEED 26 A AND CRAMPE BANNER.	SEED 27 AND CRAMER CROWN
	20	20 .
	22	25
	::0	33
	35	37
	45	50
	47	52
	65	75
	77	88
	90	\$1.00
	\$1.20	1.32

got out by one of the large Eastern manufacthis part of the state, and at prices you can afford and we will do you good. This is no Old Horse es and discount

ug and Supply Co.



# OPTIMISTIC

ctinued from First Page.

, they may, by reason of forter, what's that noise in the parlor like a pill rolling around in a box?" Daugisejon, become the manufacthe world. England does had an idea."—Syracuse Telegram. irths of the foreign trade with .. The United States sells one. the goals that China imne other eighth is sold by to at . ", France, Russia, Spain, Italy recountries of Europe.

inited States should not reman i . sive if the doors of trade closed in China by any power. The United States , old the same view of the trade facilities as England

46 spoke of Mindanao, Prof. , a paused in his description of g nough to say that if he were man starting out in the world , place for himself, he would g to Mindanao.

W. C. T. U. Contest.

Ü

North American. S. C. T. U. will give their me! Is this all one ship?" Traveled Granddaughter—"Why, yes, grandma, -ilver medal contest at the . Tabernacle on Thursday and we haven't walked a quarter the at 5 o'clock, August 24. Adlength of it yet." Old Lady-"Gracious! to cents. Children under 12, How near will we be to the land when we get to the other end?"-Boston

Let the pink will be used for

it de chines will be used for

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bear the Signification of Chart Flitches.

#### 10c

Buys Two Chanson Cigars

while for some others you pay the same for one and get no better.

A Rich, Cool Smoke. THE BEST... Hot Weather Smoke.

You're "Next!" PAYNE'S

S-Chair Barber Shop. and I reflected on how fortunate Scho 10 NEW BATH ROOMS-THE FINEST IN THE CITY.

Under Cheap Charley's. TP Open Sunday mornings for Baths

#### MONEY... **Our Charges Are** Reasonable,

tematic methods that have made the

Pegram & Co.,

Citizens' Bank Building.



VISIBLE

WRITING.

#### PUNCENT PARAGRAPHS THE BROWN THRASHER.

"How do people begin divorce pro-ceedings, anyway?" "By getting mar-ried."—Philadelphia Bulletin. Seantiful Notes of the Largest Songbird to Be Found in the He-"You know there never was love

Madge-"In my time I've had two of

he come to propose the second time?"

Papa (from head of stairs)-"Daugh

ter-"Oh, it's Cholly, papa, He's just

it is, at least in our church. If it wasn't

do you suppose Parson Dulldry would put them to sleep?"—Bøston Tran-

Incredible.-"Franklin," said Jeffer

Old Lady (on ocean steamer) -- "Mercy

NEW YORK MAPLE SUGAR.

A Belt in the Empire State Which

Product.

"I have sopped pancakes in the

naple sirup, and got toothache from

the maple sugar, and stomach ache

the way from old Vermont to Michigan,

including Schoharie county, N. Y.,"

suid a man from that part of the

state, "and I have been ready to stand

land nor quickened it to the production

of anything that could even begin to

maple sugar that Schoharie county

boiled down out of its sap, or the maple

Its sugar, or the maple wax that we pulled out of both of 'em. But that was

before I got over into Otsego county. When I struck a sugaring-off of Otsego

county's first run of sap I had to admit

that I had never known before what sap

that I had found out at last what maple

sugar really was. I began to think that whatever of excellence there was in the

maple sugar of Shoharie and Otsego

counties was due to the curcumstances

of their contiguity to Delaware county,

to it the ave

PERMANENT

ALIGNMENT.

harie and Otsego were to be there.

their product ranks second in the mar-

great nation up Schoharie way."-

until we have trouble in the present.

o this business an

N. Y. Sun.

An Imitation of Nothing.

The Oliver Typewriter

owns its popularity to its advanced features in mechanical principles, which give it VISIBLE WRITING.

-XTEURT BHT IN TONK-

PENNINGTON BROS., Local Agents,

ROOM 14, COLUMBIA BLOCK.

We Handle Typewriter Supplies.

THE OLIVER TYPEWRITER CO.,

Fullerton Building, ST. LOUIS, MO.

think of being one-half as good as the

Surpasses Verment's Famous

-Town Topics.

Republic.

Of all the song hirds in these parts the without jealousy." She—"How about Adam and Eve?"—Boston Transcript. brown thrasher, a cousin of the mock-ingbird, and himself often called the sandy mockingbird, is considerably the fers of marriage." Marjorie-"How did largest. He is a full inch longer than the robin. The fact that he looks like an enlarged and much lengthened copy of the wood thrush has earned for him the name of the brown thrush. His fondness for the public road and the bold fashion in which the runs along before approaching vehicles have won for him further south still another name, the rut runner.

Lover (bravely)—"Sir, I want to marry your daughter." Father (cold-Anyone who knows the region lying ly)—"Well, I'm not surprised at that If I were in your place, I think I should immediately above and below Mason and Dixon's line must be struck with want to marry her myself."—Somerville the fact that the brown thrasher is Amateur Sportsman-"What did 1 much more common there than near here. One hundred miles south of New bring down, Pat?" Pat-"Yer dog, sur; York he sings all through the spring in blew his head all off." Amateur Sportsman—"Where's the bird?" Pat every orchard and hedge row. Here he is heard perhaps half a dozen times in "Picking at the dog, sur."-St. Louis a season. He seems to quit singing soon after the nesting season begins, and Deacon Jones-"Do you think it is nowadays his song is seldom heard. right for people to go to sleep in church?" Deacon Brown-"Of course

When the brown thrusher ceases to sing the bird orchestra loses one of its finest instruments. Indeed, he presses hard upon the wood thrush in the mat ter of music, and his song has one quality that the song of the wood thrush lacks-variety of birds may be comson, as they sat sipping cool drinks in the Patriot's club over the river, "I pared with poets-the song of the wood thrush may be called a single exquisite see the Philadelphians have given you a statue." "So soon as this?" queried line, while that of the brown thrasher is a complete poem, perhaps properly the sage, in surprise.—Philadelphia a sonnet. The nearest approach to the song of the brown thrasher in bird music is the song of his near cousin, the catbird. The latter has the same length and variety, but not the same richness and fashion. That last word is the one that most nearly conveys a certain rare quality of the brown thrasher's song. The bird delights to sit in a low tree or upon a telegraph pole and pour forth for many minutes together his wonderful succession of notes-a high, low, now throaty, now clear, thrilling it their intensity, almost human in their feeling. Whoever has heard that song at early morning, when it comes clear and insistent athwart the bird chorus, can never forget it, though he may at times mistake it for the catbird's music. One need not hunt the woodlands to from the wax pullings of the maple bilin's of five states and 16 counties, all make acquaintance with the brown thrasher. He loves the haunts of men, to sun himself on a garden fence, to rush with fluttering wing in sudden sensational fashion from one orchard tree to another, to haunt inclosure up and say, and to bet heavy on what I said, that the sun never shone on any hedges, to dust himself in the public highway. He is a great foxy red fellow with a long tail that serves to ex-press his liveliest feelings, though it droops low when he sings, and a speckled red breast amazingly like that of the wood thrush. The commonest bird of his size, though not in the least like sirup that Shoharie county got out of him, is the graceful black-billed cuckeo or rain crow, whose mournful, dovelike mouning is heard nowadays in the northern suburbs, a sound full of dreamy midsummer sadness and echoing as of things long ago and far away -N. Y. Sun. could really be made to give up. But by and by I was domiciled in Delaware county. Then I stood up and declared

#### DID NOT FEAR MOSQUITOS.

Novel But Effective Device of Attacks of the Pests.

"When I was down in Alabama the

other day-Montgomery was the town,

to be precise," said a knight of the road at one of the city hotels the other night "I saw a most ingenious contrivance "As a matter of fact, now that I am reminded of it by the census we have put to very practical use. I had re paired to the sidewalk in front of the just taken of this season's yield of maple sugar in those three counties, and found that it isn't far from 1,000,hotel after supper, but found the usual curbstone chairs almost untenable on account of the ferocious, man-cating 000 pounds, I don't suppose there is any mosquitoes. Everybody was slapping difference at all in the quality of the and swearing, myself among the num sugar made in all that particular maple belt extending from the Delaware counber, when out walked a tall, cool-looking gentleman wearing a linen suit and ty Catskills on the south through Schoa straw hat with a wide, stiff brim. harle and Otsego and into Cortland county, this state, and embracing He took off the hat and reached into the crown and extracted a mosquito Wayne and Susquehanna counties, in net made on the principle of a very am-Pennsylvania. If the sugar makers of ple Mother Hubbard wrapper without that belt would only give the attention hat. He slipped this hoop over the such quick relief. It is for sale by J. crown and the netting fell down all E. King and C. F. Shilling. famous, they would soon be as famous as their brethren in Vermont. As it is, around, like a small balloon. All he had then to do was to insert himself at the bottom and put the hat on his head. The broad brim kept the bar ket to that of the Green Mountain state. Anyhow a million pounds of maple sugar from a spring's running of sap in three counties isn't so bad. It sort away from his face, and as he took a chair and gathered the bottom fullness around his legs I noticed that he wore o' fills in the chinks in the bank aca pair of oleyele guards on his trousers count, and makes us feel good for put-In other words, he was armed cap-a-pie, ting in the corn and taters. We're a and when he calmly lit a cigarette and crossed his hands on his abdomen l was lost in admiration. He told me he had been using the device for a couple We are very anxious about the future of years and found it invaluable. The hoop held it securely inside his hat when not in service, and as the whole thing weighed only a few ounces it was YOU ought to know that when suffering from any kidney trouble that a safe, sure remedy is Foley's Kidney Cure. Guaranteed or money refunded. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard. no trouble to carry. On the railway train, out driving and lonfing around hotels and depots he declared it was worth its weight in diamonds. I asked him whether he wasn't airaid of setting himself on fire and he explained that the netting was noninflammable. As I understood him, it had been treated with some sort of a solution of potash.

-Chicago Chronicle.

"Carmen Sylva." When the queen of Roumania makes a stay at the seaside she delights to sit on a camp stool in the middle of the sands, gather around her all the children, and tell them fairy tales of her own composition. Most of the fairy tales of Carmen Sylva have received the approbation of a large circle of children before publication.—Chicago Inter

His Preference. Brown-Did you ever try to reduce weight? I think if you took more exer eise and drank no beer you could knock off 20 pounds. Schmidt-Vell, I vould radder be hap-

py dan shkinny.-Puck.

One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures obstinate summer coughs and colds. "I consider it a most wonderful medicine—quick and eafe."—W. W. Merton, Mayhew, Wis. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store. Black velvet ribbons will appear as

Piles! Piles! Why be bothered with this annoying complaint when Banner Salve will cure you. 26c. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

an embellianment in many costumes.

# INN & SCRUGGS (O.

The New Golf Plaid Suitings are Pretty, Stylish, New and

Faddish for Skirts, Capes and Suits-full 56 inches wide and heavy enough to use without lining-plain colors on one side and Elegant Scotch plaid effects on the other side-Fashion's latest fad for folks that play golf and folks that don't. Decatur's best showing at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 a yard.

The style of the New Black Crepons for Fall is a departure from what you have been using. If possible these beautiful fabrics are richer and silkier than ever and the designing is well nigh perfection. We show a 40 inch quality at \$1.00; a better one, 42 inches wide, at \$1.75; and a still better one, 42 inches wide, at \$2.00 yard.

There's a window on the Water street front that will give you a good insight into the advance styles in medium priced novelties. There are 40 inch Chevrons, 40 inch Plaids, 40 inch Grantes, 40 inch Henriettas, and a variety of handsome Black novelties—all one low price, 50c a yard.

We want to Tell You About Some New Shoes which we

have recently received. They're not the best shoes we sell, nor are they "worth" twice what we ask for them, but we're willing to stake our reputation as shoe sellers that their equal is not to be found elsewhere at a like figure. They are made in hand turn or hand welt, have new Coin and London toes and are shown in all widths from AA to E, and all sizes from  $2\frac{1}{3}$  to 8.

They're genuinely good, dressy, stylish, serviceable shoes that we sell on a close margin and call our leader. Their price is \$2.95 per pair.

We sold Twenty-three Ladies' Suits in Four Days last week

but that's only about half the number which we had for sale. The sale was advertised for four days only, but we have decided to continue it two days longer and Tuesday or Wednesday you can choose from a good collection of Ladies' \$12.50, \$15, \$18, \$20 and \$25 strictly Tailor Made Suits at three very special prices-\$7.00, \$10.00 and \$15.00.

Still selling Ladies' \$10.00 Jackets for \$5.00.

Our decided Leadership in the Selling of Dependable

Housefurnishing goods has never been seriously disputed. Folks that are acquainted with values say that our prices are always the lowest. These special reductions for Tuesday:

Full size Globe Wash Boards only 6c. Three-pint Tin Coffee Pots, with copper bottom, Ten piece Decorated Porcelain Chamber Sets, only \$1.79.

Granite Iron Tea Kettles, No 8 size, only 38c. Twenty-one quart Granite Iron Dish Pans, only 83c. Granite Iron Fry Pane, No. 2 size, only 10c. Bread Boxes, size 8x11 inches, only 25c.

See the Pictures

At the transfer house of the new people that Fred O. will have at Riverside all this week. They start in tomorrow night. The Musical Smiths made so many friends last week that Fred kept them another week. They will do an entire new act this week, making an entire change in the program. Fred, Kittie and Allerton will put on a lot of new farces and acts. Allerton has a bunch of new songs. Cyclone will dance every night and the show will be bigger and stronger than ever. Remember tomorrow night, Tuesday, the 22d, the big opening night for this week. The show is free. You pay for the car ride, that is all.

During the civil war, as well as in our late war with Spain, diarrhoea was one of the most troublesome diseases our army had to contend with. In many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor, of Wind Ridge, Greens county, Pa., is one of these. He uses Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Disleeves. It was attached at the top to arrhoes Remedy and ease he never a steel hoop about the diameter of the found anything that would give him

Chicken Fry.

Comrades of the Dunham Post and the public generally are cordially invited by the Woman's Relief Corps to attend the chicken and fish fry Tuesday evening at the Martin farm, north of Forsyth. There are beautiful grounds and a good time is promised. Go with us and enjoy yourself and the transfer house at 4 p. m., 5 p. m. and 6 p. m. and the fare for the round go at trip will not be over 20 cents. Backs will be provided for those who make the trip on a wheel. T. J. Abel, Commander Dunham Post.

## Legal Blanks..

LEASES, MORTGAGES JUSTICE BLANKS, and ALL COMMON BLANKS, Rent Receipts, Judgment Notes, Etc.

Chodat's News House, 117 N. WATER STREET.

ESTABLISHED 1860.

INCORPORATED OCT. 1, 1897. The Millikin National Bank Decatur, Illinois.

# WE HAVE A FEW

In both Men's and Boys, that we sold at \$9.00, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15. These are all wool, guaranteed, some quite light in color, and we have but one or two suits of help a good cause. Hacks will leave a kind left. To quickly move them they

\$4.98.

A few BOYS' KNEE PANT SUITS. all ages, sold from \$4.50 to \$6.50. To close them out you can have your choice

*\$2.98.* 

Bradley

DEWEY'S FRIENDLINESS.

Of course, you feel at once at home and quite at your best. You launch into all the news at the end of your tongue, and go away after half an hour's chat to find yourself surprised at how in-Emately you know him.

His mind once made up, his judg-

ment never falters. I know of more than one man who has mistaken Admiral Dewey's affability for weakness, only to regret it bitterly. A well-known instance in Manila was that of a promi-nent newspaper correspondent who was permitted the freedom of the flagship. One day this correspondent, who was frequently in the habit of chatting informally with the admiral, sauntered

into Dewey's quarters and, interrupting him in his work, blurted out:
"Well, admiral, what are your plans regarding future action here?"
"Plans? Plans?" the admiral replied in surprise. "How dare you ask

the plans of action for publication? liet off this ship, and don't you let me see you here again until you know

The correspondent realized his mis-take, but too late. He got off, and has since been allowed to resign from the paper he represented. Admiral Dewey one of the best specimens of Ameri canism our country has produced. He Is fearless to a point little short of recklessness. Not once, but every week, he visits the firing lines, and he takes shances that makes everyone present fear for his safety. His character shows that simplicity and approachability are attributes of true worth. He is not averse to fondling his pet dog. nor is he to be found wanting when the harsh measures of war are needed. When, one day, I showed him a number of photographs of the dead insur-

gents, he exclaimed:
"Poor fellows! Too bad, too bad!
isn't it a pity we have to do it?" Then he added, entreatingly: "Don't send

them home; they are too horrible."

The admiral is quite proud of his "gallery of beauties," as he calls thear ray of photographs that decorate his gabins on the Olympia. "This one," he said, "writes me she is a distant cousin of mine. Isn't she pretty? I am sorry she is so distant. I wrote, thanking her, and told her I was proud to acknowledge the relationship. The admiral's cabin is stored with

kept them all aboard I should hav to enlarge the Olympia," he said. And so he would. For there are books by the hundred, vases, cups, albums, stat uettes, table service, embroideries. paintings, and knickknacks galore, to say nothing of the hundreds of buttons and pictures of himself adorning evcrything from a medal to a beer-tray. Manila. Cor. Leslie's Weekly,

Coral will be in high favor for all sorts of jewelry.

Quickly cure constipation and rebuild and invigorate the entire system—never grips or nauseate—DeWitt's Little Early Risers. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krons, C. F. Shilling's fast End Drug Store.

Homepsuus and all mixed suitings will make a brave show.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures dyspepsia because its ingredients are such that it can't help doing so. "The pub-lic can rely upon it as a master remedy lic can rely upon it as a master removed for all disorders arising from imperfect digestion."—James M. Thomas, M. D., in American Journal of Health, N. Y. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling,

Colors will be light and shades will be much favored.

Hamilton Clark, of Chauncey, Ga. says be suffered with itching piles twenty years before trying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, two boxes of which completely cured him. Beware of worth-less and dangerous counterfeits. H. W. Bell, N. L. Brone, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store

Paler tinted handkerchiefs bordered with white will have arrived from Landon.

Kodol Dyspepsis Cure thoroughly digests food without aid from the stom-sch, and at the same time heals and restores the diseased digestive organs. It is the only remedy that does both of these things and can be relied upon to permanently cure dyspepsis. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krons, C. F. Smilling East and Drug Store.

The automobile tie, of black satin, with crimson dots, will have established its dominion.

Irritating stings, bites, scratches, wounds and cuts soothed and healed by wounds and cutes scotted and neared by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve—a sure and safe application for tortured flesh. Beware of counterfeits. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krons, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store.

#### POWERFUL VESSELS.

Plans of Admiral O'Neil for Three New Warships Being Built.

If Adopted the Georgia, New Jersey and Pennsylvania Will Carry the Heaviest Batteries Ever Carried by Naval Vessel.

The heaviest batteries yet placed on any naval vessel in the world will be carried by the Georgia, New Jersey and l'ennsylvania, the new battleships authorized by the last congress, if the suggestions of Rear Admiral O'Neil, chief of the bureau of ordnance, are adopted.

These ships are to have an approximate displacement of 13,500 tons each and speed and coal capacity entitling them to be classed almost as armored cruisers. By the lightening of the armor belt, made possible by the greatly increased resisting power of the latest armor, Rear Admiral O'Neil is enabled to plan much heavier batteries. He has prepared five separate plans for the new ships. Each provides for the same number of guns of each caliber in the secondary batteries and the same general arrangement, but modified by differences in the main batteries. In the secondary battery each vessel is to carry 16 3-inch guns, 30 caliber in length; 16 3-pounders, four automatic 1-pounders, six single shot 1-pounders, ten machine guns and two field guns.

In the main batteries one plan conemplates four 12-inch guns of 40 caliber; four 8-inch guns of 45 caliber and 12 6-inch guns of 50 caliber. The 12inch guns are to be mounted in barbette turrete and aft of the superstructure, two 8-inch guns in a barbette tur-ret on each beam, and the 6-inch guns in broadside, so as to give the largest possible are of fire.

The second plan differs from the first

in that it provides for eight 8-inch guns, arranged in four barbette turrets, two on each side. There are two other plans identical with this, except that one proposes to substitute four 10-inch guns or the 12-inch, and the other proposes to substitute two 10-inch and two 12-inch for the four 12-inch guns. In these plans the fore and ait fire is the same as in the first plan, but the broadside fire is increased by two 8-inch guns. The fifth plan differs from the first in having no 8-inch guns, and increasing the number of 6-inch to 16, eight firing on each broadside and four directly forward and two directly aft.

NEW UTOPIA SOLD CHEAP.

Ruskin Cooperative Properties in Tennessee Bring Thousands Less Than Cost.

The Ruskin co-operative colony property was sold the other day in a big cave near Tennessee City, Tenn. Several hundred people were seated in the cave, including the colonists and their wives and children and farmers from the surrounding country. W. Blake Leech rep-

resented the receiver.

Four tracts of land containing a total of 784 acres were first sold to Ransom Leech for \$11,000. Another tract of a thousand acres, mostly worthless land, went to George Wright for \$1,450. He also bought the storehouse and lot for \$15, making the whole amount re-ceived for land and about 30 houses thereon \$12,465. The land originally cost \$16,500, and the houses cost several thousands more. Growing crops go with the land.

The minority stockholders, who had the property thrown into the hands of a receiver, were the purchasers. Horses, mules, fine hogs, etc., went for a song, mostly to neighboring farmers.

It is said that the purchasers will reorganize the colony on a somewhat different basis. Fifty-five majority stock-The admiral's cabin is stored with remembrances from admirers, and, to ma, it seemed greatly to his credit that he was gratified by the gifts that were sent him. "I am atraid, though, if I colony have a nagent out looking for a new location. They may go to Virginia. The colony paper, the colony pape Many of the women shed tears at the sale, and there is much feeling over the break-up of the new Utopia.

#### METAL FURNITURE.

Inother Step Taken Towards Reduc ing Inflammable Material on Board Warships.

An interesting experiment will be tried on board one of the warships with view to making the fighting machine less inflammable. Constructor Bowles, who was instrumental in having the woodwork which enters into the cabin and the interior fittings of naval vessels treated by the electric fireproofing process, has taken a step further. He recomended that metallic furniture be furnished the ships of war, and with a view to testing the proposition a quan-tity of such material has been purchased and will be placed on board the Atlanta. A report will be invited from the commanding officer in regard to the strength, durability and appearance of the furniture, and upon the result of the experiment will depend the purchase of similar cabin furniture for all warships. It is in line of reducing to the minimum the amount of wooden material on board vessels of the navy.

Sapling Lifts Tons. The power of living seed over the inert weight of tons of rock is very forcibly illustrated by a little sapling which is growing in Erstberg, Ger-many. The tree is slight enough to be bent with the hands, but is raising in its irresistible growth a mass of rock weighing four tons.

Mail from Kanam Soldiers. The mail matter that comes to Topeka from Manila sometimes numbers as high as 1,000 pieces a day.

To Clean Asphalt. To clean asphalt pavements in Utica last year cost about two cents a running foot.

To Consumptives.

As an honest remady, Foley's Honey and Tar does not hold out false hopes in advanced stages, but truthfully claims to give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages to effect a cure. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

A man can get ready for a journey in five minutes, but a woman is never really prepared for it, even after she half as much as doing something for

#### TOLSTOI ON WAR.

The Russian Humanitarian Ories Co in Despair Against Consist and Patriotism.

One groans over the sad conditions of the people's life in the civilized world. But it is possible to modify the a. We have only to obey the fundamental law proclaimed thousands of years ago: Thou shalt not kill." Likewise is it with the laws of love and of human fraternity. And yet what do we see? Every European denies this divine law, but upon the order of a president, of an emperor, of a minister, of Nicholas or of William, he dresses himself ridiculous ly, seizes a slaughtering instrument and cries out: "Here I am ready to outrage, ruin, or kill whomsoever shall be pointed out to me!"

What can a society composed of such men be? Such a society cannot but be frightful; and so it is!

Awaken, brothers! Do not lister Cut to 69c and 98c from \$1.00 and \$1.50. either to those scoundrels who from childhood harass you with the devilish spirit of "patriotism," an enemy to truth and uprightness, and which serves only to take away your property, your liberty, and your dignity; lister not to those impostors who preach was in the name of a cruel and revengeful God which they have invented out of a perverted and false Christianism; and still less listen to those modern Sad ducees who, having for their real air only the maintenance of things in their give the people a happy and peaceful life without any effort! Do not believe them. Believe only in conscience, which tells you you are neither beasts of bur den nor slaves, but free men responsible for your acts, and consequently incap able of becoming murderers, whether of your own free will, or upon order of those who live only by murder. You must wake, for you yourselves must give an account of all the horrors and insanities of which you have been guilty. That done, you put an end to this disease which you abhor and which is ruining you. If you succeed, all these impostors who, after having corrupted you oppress you, will vanish like owis before the light of day. Then will be realized this new human and fraternal life toward which Christianity aspires dulled with sufferings, exhausted by lies, and lost in insoluble contradic tions. Let each one fulfill, without confused and adulterated argument, that which each day his conscience commands him, and he will recognize the truth of the Gospel: "If anyone wish to do Ged's will, he will recognize whether my doctrine comes from God or whether I speak of my own accord.' -- Leo Tolstoi, in L'Humanite Nouvelle

#### A CLEVER BIRD.

New Guinea Cockstoe Uses Its Nut-Cracker Bill on a Very Hard Shell.

There is a wonderful cockatoo in one of the islands of the Indian ocean, near New Guinea. It is as large as a full grown pheasant, and it is of a jet-black color. The bird is remarkable for its immensely strong bill and the clever manner in which it is used. The bill is as hard as steel, and the upper part has a deep notch in it.

Now, the favorite food of this cocka-too is the kernel of the canary nut; but there is wonderful ingenuity required to get at it, for the nut is something like a Brazil nut, but it is ten times as hard. In fact, it requires the blow of a heavy hammer to crack it. It is quite smooth and somewhat triangular in shape.

The cockatoo might throw the nut down, but it would not break, or it might hold it in its claws like the parrots usually do with their food, and attempt to crush it; but the smoothness of the nut would cause it to fly out of the beak. Nature appears to have ers, for the cockatoo takes one of the on of its sharp lower beal makes a small notch on it. This done the bird takes hold of the nut with its claws and, biting off a piece of leaf, retains it in the deep notch of the upper part of the bill. Then the nut is seized between the upper and lower parts of the bill and is prevented slipping by the peculiar texture of the leaf. A sharp nin or two in the notch breaks off i tiny piece of the shell of the nut. The bird then seizes the nut in its claws and pokes the long sharp point of its bill "DeWitt's Little Early Risers did ms more good than all blood medicines and other pills." writes Geo. H. Jacobs, of Thompson, Cone. Prompt, pleasant, which collects each morsel as it is broken off by the bill.

bit by bit.

broken off by the bill. This is a wonderful process, for it is quite clear that without the leaf nothing could be done, and it proves how certain structures in birds are made to destroy certain parts of plants.--Philadelphia Press.

A Fair Exchange. "Are you quite sure this melon is ripe?" inquired the young housewife after she had made a careful selection.

"Perfectly sure, madam," replied the grocer, "but if you wish I will plug it so that you can see for yourself." And cutting a triangular piece from the side of the melon he held it up for inspection. "You see," he continued, "it is perfectly ripe."

"Very well," answered the fair customer, "you may send that one up to the house. Twenty-five cents, did you say? I know I have a quarter here somewhere. Oh, yes, here it is."

The grocer glanced at the coin and

then handed it back. "I can't accept that," he said. "It is plugged." "I konw it," said the lady, "but I don't see what difference that makes. The watermelon is plugged, too."-N. Y.

Advice to Women. A woman should never invite a ma to perjure himself by asking him to guess her age,-Chicago Daily News.

"One baby was sick for a mouth with sovere cough and catarrhal fever. Although we tried many remedies she kept getting worse until we used One Minute Cough Cure—it relieved at once and cured her in a few days."—B-L. Nance Pris. High Echool, Bluffdale, Texas. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krene, O. F. Shilling, East End Orug Store.

To make proparations to benefit some one when you die does not count; them while you are alive.

#### **CUT PRICE** SALE AT...

JOHNSTON'S, 151 N. Water Street

This week we make the final cut on all Summer Goods and we are opening up New Fall Goods every day.

## White Pique Skirts.

just Half Price This Week. \$1.50 kind at 75c. \$2.50 skirts at \$1.25. \$3.00 skirts at \$1.50.

Linen Skirts at 98c. \$1.50 check linen skirts at 98c this week

Shirt Waists. 50c and 75c shirt waists at 25c. \$1.00 shirt waists at 50c. \$1.50 shirt waists at 75c.

White Shirt Waists.

Belts at 15c. 10 dozen 25c, 35c and 50c leather belts all cut to loc each.

Ladies' Vests Only 72c. 20 dozen ladies' ribbed summer vest the 15c kind at 71/2c. Shees.

One lot of ladies' low lace Oxfords, the \$1.00 kind at 50c. Sizes 3, 814 and 4. Ladies' \$2 laces at \$1.50 pair.

#### New Goods.

NEW BLACK DRESS GOODS at 25c, New Plaids for skirts, at 50c, 69c, 75c

and \$1.00 yard. New Novelty Dress Goods at 25c, 35c, 48c en 1 75c yd. New Tailor Suitings, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and

NEW PLUSH CAPES-At \$3.00, \$3.50; \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50,

NEW COLLARETS— At \$1.50, \$250, \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and to \$15. New Children's Fall Underwear at 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c garment.

Ladies' Union Suits, heavy, 50c kind at 35c this wesk. Ladies' Muslin Underwear, to go at reduced prices this week. \$1.00 gowns at \$75c.

75c gowns at 50c. Ladies' skirts at 50c, 65c and 75c. We recut jacket eleevee and remodel Children's Drawers at 10c, 12 %c and 15b. and reline jackets. Ladies' skirts at 50c, 65c and 75c.

#### Tailor Suits to Order. New is the Time to Select Your New Fall Tallor Sutt.

Come in and select your cloth and pay part down on it and we will make up an elegant tailor suit for you and you can

get it when you need it. Suits to order at \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$20

Jackets to order, \$5, \$7.50, \$10 and \$12.50.

Fine Crepon Dress Skirts to order, \$5, \$7,50 and \$10. SILK SKIRTS to order at \$6, \$750, \$8.50, \$10.

#### Fur Work.

Now is the time to have your fur We remodel and repair and reline all kinds of seal gurment. We make over fur garments into the

late collarete.

present state, assemble in the name of science and civilization, and write books and give lectures promising to This Week at \_\_\_\_\_ Johnston's,

151 NORTH WATER STREET.



When the Wabash Railroad will sell fickets at the above Take the whole family. It will give you a new lease on that date. Take the whole family. It will give you a new lease on life and will be an education for the children (half the above rate if under 12; if under 4, free.)

Attractive Side Trips

Thousand Islands of the St. Lawrence, famed the world over for their picturesque beauty, can be visited at an additional cost of \$6.50. A visit to

Toronto, the Queen City of Victoria's "American Domain," a grand trip across Lake Ontario, will cost but \$1.00 additional. Canada's Great Industrial Fair at Toronto opens August 28th.

Sleepers and Free Chair Cars Will make up the balance of the train. Sleeper fare, \$3.50 each way.

Gives time of the special train, list of attractive side trips, bill of lare of the Lunch Car, Ratiroad and Sleeping Car rates, tells how to see all the wonders of Niagara to the best advantage, list of hotels and their rates and an estimate of necessary expenses while at the Falls.

Ask nearest Wabash agent for one, or write to

C. S. CRANE, G. P. and T. A., St. Louis, Mo.

# August 24th

A Good, Long Limit
Of 15 days will give you plenty of time to see all the rights at Niagara and to take advantage of some of the many

Which will be offered at greatly reduced rates. The

#### The Special Train.

Lunch Car. A car stocked with delicacies and substantials, sold at very low figures—not to make money, but simply as a convenience to patrons, will be part of the equipment.

Our Niagara Falls Excursion Leaflet

# The Miniature

the seventeenth century. To day the society columns of the leading journals Free Transportation to Atof the country are mentioning the min East End Drug Store.

Either man or woman can become hero or heroine to those beneath them if their fees are only sufficiently large.

of the country are menuously the minute as the portrait among people of taste and refinement.

We have eccured the services of one of the best miniature painters in Boston and are now prepared to show specimens of the work.

Van Deventer,

### Elizabeth Knieper-Bunn...

Seacher of VOICE CULTURE

--- PUPIL 0#----Augusto Rotole, Boston. Erancis Fischer Powers, New York.

IN DECATUR, nesdara. Wednesdara and Thursdar STUDIO

WEN BOOK

#### ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. OF INTEREST TO STOCKHOLDERS.

tend the Annual Meeting at Chicago.

Central Railroad Company, at a meeting held July 21, 1887, adopted the following preamble and resolution

To the end that the stockholder of the illinois Central Railroad Company

The Board of Directors of the Illinois

To the end that the stockholders of the illinois Central Rairoad Company may more readily attend, in person, the annual meetings of stockholders, which the hy-laws require to be held in the cago on the last Wednesday in September of each year, be it.

RESOLVED, That until the further order of this board, there may be issued, to see held in the former of each year, be it.

RESOLVED, That until the further order of this board, there may be issued, to see held of the books of the capital rick in the fillinois Central Rairoad Company, a regimered on the books of the company. In the from the rever free care the company's lines from the station on the Linnis Central Railroad nessest to his order error person, the people of attending in person, the meeting of the pool of the station of the lines of the following only of the day of the meeting and for the return loading from the eago only on the day of the meeting and for the return loading from the day of the meeting and the day of the meeting and the samped in the four days immediately preceding, and the day of the meeting and the samped in the pear of stock on application, in writing to the preceding of the owners of the samped of the owners of the company of the samped in the office of stock on application, in writing to the pear of stock on application, in writing to the pear of stock on application, in writing to the pear of stock on application, in writing to the pear of stock on application, in writing to the pear of stock on application, in writing to the owner of stock of stock, together with the quarks of the owners of stock of stock together with the quarks of the owners of stock together with the quarks of the owners of stock together with the quarks of the owners of stock together with the quarks of the owners of stock together with the quarks of the owners of stock together with the quarks of the owners of stock together with the quarks of the owners of the

cation must state the full name and a forces of the atockholder cancily as given in his or he certificate of stock, together with the number and date of such certificate. No more than one person with he carried free in respect (a set one holding of stock as registered on the looks of the Company.

By order of the Board of Directors.

A. G. HANKETA DE Staurotser.

A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.

The next annual meeting of the strick holders of the Illinois Central Radiroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Chicago, on Wednesday, September 27, 1826, at noon. For the purpose of this meeting the Stock the purpose of this meeting the Stock Transfer Books will be closed from the close of business on September 12th is the meeting of September 28th.

# **DURING AUGUST**

our Light Weight S Men and Boys

We will sell the rema

### AT VERY LOW PR

Men's all wool Cassimers and Cheviot Suits, well made, neat pattern, splendid value at \$5 and \$6, to close, choice at

**\$3.90** 

1033.

Men's good Business Suits, in all wool fabrics, neat checks and. plain effects, \$7, \$7.50 and \$8.50 suit, your choice at

Men's Fine Suits-all of surplus stock-in light and dark shades; suits that are all right in every way. Sold at \$10, \$12, \$13.50 and \$15; to close, choice at

\$8.95

100 pairs of Good Cassimere Pants at \$1.00. Choice of 200 pairs of Pauts, value up to \$3. MEN'S LINEN CRASH SUITS AT HALF



### Boys' Departme

Choice of 150 suits, ages 3 to 7reefer-value up to \$4.00. Choice at.....

Special Sale of Two-Piece Postsuits, ages 7 to 15—

BOYS' WASH SUITS at **50c,** 75c, \$1

## The Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and P

MASONIC TEMPLE BU

## **HUTCHIN & HARDY**

The sole agents for the d following shoes:

J. S. Turner's Men's Fine Shoes.

"Kulture" Fine Shoes for Ladies.

"The Barton" Fine Shoes for Ladies.

"Julia Marlows" Fine Shoes for Ladies.

of them:

Read what we have to say



low price with a per There is nothing "KULTURE" at plished results to

The "KULTURE

era bave endeavor without success the best the non Kulture shoe pro outline of the aufforers with terms

To the wearel \$3.50 the Barton

> Shoe for Wo We have spaced no pense in the constr The anatomy of the ied in all itaphaeca a last which is abspatterns, by who have been design. the graceful and the foot but to

> > Bring your

John Li

us to be Neat

Todd, Bancroft & Co. to the wearer. Rochester, N. Y. The material used in the manufacture of this shoe :

'v, which taken together with the fact that it is hand more a shoe that is free from tacks and nails, places the Barton of modern shoe construction.

SEE THEM IN OUR WI

#### HUTCHIN & HARDY Shoers of the Whole People

Acknowledged Vitters of the Feet.

139 North Water St the Artistic FREE SHINES. New 'Phone 666.

is with us.

NEWSPALER HILBIVE &C

Drs. Randolph & McCullough are performing estonishing cures on statterers at the Park Hotel. Their reputation as voice-doctors is world wide. They never fall to cure. Call and see them.

give you clean blood, steady nerves, a clear brain and a healthy appetite. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling,

Tetter, Eczema and Skin Diseases

yield quickly to the marvelous healing qualities of Banner Salve made from a prescription of a skin specialist of world wide fame. 25c. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

The happiest person in the world is

he or she whose ambition sours beyond

Every joy in life is marred by a

shadow, but it does not follow that

**NERVITA PILLS** 

Restore Vitality, Lost Vigor and Manbood. Cure Impotency, Night Emissions and wasting diseases, all effects of self-

abuse, or excess and indiscretion. A nerve tonic and blood builder. Brings the pink glow to pale cheeks and restores the fire of youth. By mail 50c per box, 6 boxes for \$2.50; with a written guarantee to cure or refund the money.

NERVITA MEDICAL CO. Clirton & Jackson Ste., CHICAGO, ILL.

Stuttering Cured.

Send for circular. Address.

abuse, or excess and indis

svery shadow is followed by joy.

what he or she is able to get.

#### On Ivory... Is a revival of the dainty portraiture of

Maker of Photographs, 522 POWERS BLDG.

And ART OF SINGING Italian Method

116 Merchant street-Third Floor.

A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary

#### 151 N. Water 'ON'S, Street.

on all Summer Goods and we all Goods every day.

ioods. 53 GOODS at 25c,

s, at 50c, 69c, 75c ن من نك at عن المناطقة (Lookle at عن المناطقة)

₹6,50 and \$7.50.

39, \$1 and to \$15. rmentr

die and 75c

Underwear at 10c, heavy, 50c kind at war, to go at re-

 $110_{\circ}, 12\frac{1}{2}$  and  $15e_{\circ}$  and reline jackets.

Tailor Suits to Order. Now is the Time to Select Your New Fall Tallor Suit, Come in and select your cloth and pay part down on it and we will make up an

elegant tailor suit for you and you can get it when you need it. at \$1.00, \$1 25 and Suits to order at \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$20 and \$55.

Jackets to order, \$5, \$7.50, \$10 and Fine Crepon Dress Skirts to order, \$6, \$7.50 and \$10.

SILK SKIRTS to order at \$6, \$7.50, ₹4,50, **\$**10.

Fur Work.

Now is the time to have your fur

We remodel and repair and reline all kinds of seal garmen. We make over fur garments into the

We recut jacket sleeves and remodel

151 NORTH WATER ton's, STREET.



il sell fickats at the above to commence on that date. give you a new lease on life he children (half the above

ong Limit enty of time to see all the vantage of some of the many Side Trips

reduced rates. The Lawrence, famed the world their picturesque beauty, can of \$6 50. A visit to Victoria's "American Dop across Lake Ontario, will anada's Great Industrial Fair

with delicacies and substan-ry low figures—not to make mence to patrons, will be part

al Train.

ars Will make up the balance of the train. Sleeper

Excursion Leaflet he special train list of attraction of fare of the Lunch Car, econg Car rates tells how to oders of Nagara to the best d T. A., St. Louis, Mo.

iature l Ivory...

STOCKHOLDERS. dainty portraiture of century Foday the the leading journals Free Transportation to Atmeationing the min rait among people of

nt I the services of one ture painters in Bos w prepared to show work.

EVENTER, Photographs,

VERS BLDG.

eth r-Bunn...

**VOICE CULTURE** 

SINGING Italian

r Boston. r Puwers Naw York. CATUR, estays and Thursdays.

TUDIO street—Third Floor.

MAKES OUR

cigo on the last Wednesday in Septilitude of each year, be it
RESOLVED. That until the further order of
this board, there may be issued, to each holder
of one or more sharers of the capital stock of
the Illinois Central Rauroad Company, as regtasted on the books of the company, as regmaterial on the books of the company, as regenabling him, or her, to travel free over the
company's lines from the station on the Illinois
Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered
seddress, to Chicago and return, for the purpose of attending, in person, the meetings of
stockholders. Buch tokes to be good for the
journey to Chicago only during the four days
immediately proceding, and the day of, the
meetings, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the
four days immediately following, when properity counteragned and stamped in the offer of W-G
HILLY, Assertant Secretary, Chicago, Such a
tic 'se may be obtained by any registered holder
of stock on application, in writing face, application must state the full name and address of
the stockholder exactly as great in the
order of stock as registered on the books
of the Company.

By order of the Board of Directors

A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.

The part samual meeting of the stock. By order of the Board of Directors.
A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.
The next annual meeting of the atock-holders of the Hilmois Central Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Chicago, on Wednesday, Septembar 27, 1839, at moon. For the purpose of this meeting the Stock Transfer Books will be closed from the close of business on September 12th to the morning of September 28th.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

OF INTEREST TO

tend the Annual Meet-

ing at Chicago.

The Board of Directors of the Illinois

The Board of Directors of the lilinois
Central Railroad tompany, at a meeting held July 21, 1897, adopted the following preamble and resolution:
To the end that the stockholders of the lilinois Central Railroad Company may more readily attend, in person, the annual meetings of stockholders, which

the by laws require to be held in Chicago on the last Wednesday in Sep-

tember of each year, be it

# DURING **AUGUST**

We will sell the remainder of our Light Weight Suits for Men and Boys

AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Men's all wool Cassimere and theviot Suits, well made, neat rattern, splendid value at \$5 and \$6, to close, choice at

**\$3.90** 

Men's good Business Suits, in all wool fabrics, neat checks and l'ain effects, \$7, \$7.50 and \$8.50 suit, your choice at

Men's Fine Suits-all of surplus -tock—in light and dark shades; suits that are all right in every way. Sold at \$10, \$12, \$13.50 and \$15; to close, choice at

\$8.95



100 pairs of Good Cassimere Pants at \$1.00. thoice of 200 pairs of Pants, value up to \$3.50, at.....\$1.98 MIN'S LINEN CRASH SUITS AT HALF PRICE.



Boys' Department... Choice of 150 suits, ages 3 to 7—in vestee and reefer—value up to \$4.00.

Special Sale of Two-Piece Double Breasted Niagara Falls and Lehigh Valley rail- his own horse and assisted him to the road and began to run. Mr. Mark B. Smith of Missouri, and two

BOYS' WASH SUITS at

50c, 75c, \$1.00 and up.

# OTTENHEIMER & CO

The Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers.) MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK.

HUTCHIN & HARDY REMEMBER

The sole agents for the BERT following shoes:

J. S. Turner's Men's Fine Shoes. "Kulture" Fine Shoes for Ladies.

"The Barton" Fine Shoes for Ladies.

"Julia Marlows" Fine Shoes for Ladies.

Read what we have to say of them:

HARDY IS WITH

HUTCHIN

HARDY...

"Trullime" Slzoe was Scientific

Measurements, Artistic Designing and Hygienic



TODD, BANCROFT & CO. Rochester, N. Y.

The \*\*KULTURE" shoe combines

the best the market affords. The Kulture shoe preserves the perfect outline of the foot. The Kulture shoe is a priceless boon sufferers with tender feet.

To the wearer of the Barton

Shoe for Women:

We have spared neither time nor expense in the construction of this shoe. ied in all its phases, in order wo produce back if not cured. a last which is absolutely correct. The and C. F. Shilling. patterns, by which the uppers are cut, have been designed not only to preserve the graceful and symmetrical lines of the foot but to insure perfect comfort

The material used in the manufacture of this shoe is of the very best qualit), which taken together with the fact that it is hand made, thereby producing his residence on West William street, a fact. Much of our knowledge comes and 15 or 20 men joined the organization.

SEE THEM IN OUR WINDOW.

HUTCHIN & HARDY, Shoers of the Whole People Acknowledged Fitters of the Feet.

139 North Water St. FREE SHINES. New 'Phone 666.

us to be Neatly Done. John Lindquist,

LOCAL NEWS.

Caldwell's street carriages, 15 cents to any part of the city. Leave orders at Greider's Restaurant, old telephon No. 1831.—mch3f-dtf

Smoke the Little Joker-5 cent cigar If you are in need of footwear Rodgers & Clark's ad. will certainly interest you. -28-dtf

Council meeting tonight. You pay a little more for the clothes that Denz makes but-

For the Urbana Chautauqua at Urbana, Ill., the Illinois Central will Tells His Congregation of "Christian on August 26 and 27, sell tickets to Champaign and return at rate of 75c, limited to return on day of sale. W. R. Smith, ticket agent; T. Peniwell, City Ticket Agent -18-dtd

If you want plastering done call on the Decatur Hard Plastering Co. Oren —may 16-dtf

Take the fine through car to Phila. 1-8d3Smoke the Little J. Guaranteed to

streets. —may 16-dtf

rangements.

10 p. m. tomorrow. All invited.

G. A. R. excursion to Philadelphia antitime. I will accompany the party. T. Peniwell, C. T. A.-18-w&dtd

Call at the C. B. Prescott music house and see those Chickering and Packard pianos. They are the popular instruments with the people.

Elegant Through Car To Philadelphia via the Vandalia Line, to the G. A. R. Encampment. See Millspaugh and make your arrange-

Home Visitors' Excursions to Indiana and Ohio Points, Sept. 14th, 1899.

The Indiana, Decatur and Western

The "KULTURE" shoe combines flexibility with durability, style and shape with exceeding comfort, and a low price with a perfect fit.

There is nothing better than the "KULTURE" shoe We have come. "KULTURE" shoe. We have accomplished results that shoe manufacturers have endeavored for years to obtain, without success. Materials used are and C. F. Shilling Drug Stores.

Incorrect Deeds. Macon county has been deeded to the Job said: 'I know that my Redeemer be disabled for two or three weeks at school directors. This is a mistake as liveth and that he shall stand in the least and the injury may prove per-the property should be deeded to the latter day upon the earth and that I manent if inflammation should set in. trustees of the schools. In cases where shall see him with mine eyes.' Paul Dr. Everett J. Brown was called to property has been deeded to the di- says: 'I know whom I have believed attend him. rectors it should be transferred to the and am persuaded that he is able to trustees to be legal.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands The anatomy of the foot has been studied in all its phases, in order to produce your health. Only 25 cents. Money a last which is absolutely correct. The

MARRIED.

PEEL-OURTIS.

On Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at Edward Street Christian church, knowledge that we are in a saved state united in marriage Miss Minnie R. comes from personal experience. There Curtis of this city and Charles E. Peel are three tests by which we may Bring your Repairing to of Bement, in the presence of a party know. First, obedience. Christ says of relatives who accompanied the 'Verily, verily, I say unto you that he a stand at Fairlawn park without a couple. Mr. and Mrs. Peel will reside that heareth my word and believeth on the George Towns farm, south of in him that sent me hath everlant-

DOS COTICE ACTOR WITH YOU? Second, love. We know that we have

**GOLDEN RULE** 

Subject of Dr. Newcomer's Man According to God's Heart." He Talk on Sunday Evening.

THE REV. A. W. HAWKINS in the following:

truths burt! We begin with some action, tell half of it and there end, Assurance" at C. P. Churchand what we leave untold is often the Lyles' Character Sketch most important. Do you see that -Church Notes. great collossal moral statue vonder on the public square of society? Begin now and tell half truths about him The rain of Sunday morning inter- and see how soon he will totter and Laying of sidewalks a specialty, using ferred somewhat with the attendance fall. These half truths are worse than the widow of the late Capt. William the best quality of cement Perry & at the churches but the services were ship worms, worse than sandy founds. J. Brown, died Saturday evening at none the less interesting. At the tions; worse than errors in the 5:10 o'clock at her home, 597 South Church of God the regular morning strength of materials for often a half Main street. She had been in failing delphia via the Vandalia-Pennsylvania services were abandoned and a social truth is like the mighty lightning's health for the past year and for three

contain no artificial flavor.—1-dif

A. F. Ross has resigned his position with the Race Clothing Co. and has taken a position in Cheap Charley's place, where he was employed 21 years ago.

Comer, sook for the subject of his talk the structure is gone. How offen do discase and Bright's disease caused we leave out the first half of the truth and give only the fault. We often the word has been in Wheeling taken a position in Cheap Charley's place, where he was employed 21 years ago.

Comer, sook for the subject of his talk the structure is gone. How offen do discase and Bright's disease caused the "Golden Rule, Do unto others as we leave out the first half of the truth and give only the fault. We often the West Virginia, October 12, 1985, and statute go unnoticed and look only used in all relations of life. Employer upon the defects and faults."

The prescher then showed that to furnish an elegant through high back, we desire justice and sympathy and had come. reversible seat coach to Philadelphia help from others we must in like manaccount G. A. R. Encampment. See ner extend it to others. Therefore the avoid crowded cars, and have a pleas. virtual illustration of the Golden were futile and it continued its flight, Rule. Then this law relates to all turning the corner at Chew's feed things whatsoever. Not a part of life stable and starting toward the square. but to all things.

> RESULT OF ITS ADOPTION. same to all men and looked upon the be that he received internal injuries. world as a whole, and so we must in adopting this law. If adopted in the home there would be kindness and

14, 1899, sell home visitors tickets to there would be no war. No necessity banner. The second prize, a \$15 silk Cincinnati, Dayton, Toledo, Spring- for peace conferences or proclamations flag, was awarded to the lodge at Arfield, Columbus, Sandusky, Ohio, and from the czar. God's estimate of the genta and the third prize a \$10 woolen Louisville, Ky., and to other inter- law is that it embraces all law. Jesus flag, was awarded to the lodge at Nimediate points, and return, at very said so. It enters into the power, untic. tickets, etc., call on any I, D. & W. means the adoption of this law. Can first, \$3 lap robe; C. W. Wikoff sec-Ry, ticket agent or address John S. it be incorporated into all relations of ond, \$2 box cigars; Cliff Downing Lazarus, General Passenger Agent, life? It evidently can. If it cannot third, \$3 axle jack.

Men are careful to make sure of their Men are careful to make sure of their tiltes to temporal things and are satisfied with nothing less than bed rock certainty. If you are satisfied with nothing less than a clear title to your nothing less than a clear litle to your home in Decatur can you accept anything less to your title in heaven? thing less to your title in heaven? Julius Reynolds, the coal miner, The question again recurs, 'Is it our was sujured by a pick in the hands of privilege to know in this life that we one of his fellow workmen being run Some of the school property in are saved? The scriptures say so. into his right elbow joint. He will keep that which I have committed unto him. ' John says: 'We know that we have passed from death unto regular army is home on a farlough. life. ' Many people have a misconcepof sufferers have proved their matchless tion of what it means to be saved. will leave a week from next Tuesday merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They think that they are not saved with his company for the Philippines. until they enter the kingdom above. This is not the scriptural idea. He 19th infantry A letter was received who has repented of his sine and accepted by faith Ohrist as his friend and personal saviour is in a saved state. The proposition is, may fiwe know. Not think, nor hope, nor even believe, that we are saved. Knowledge is the conscious apprehension of

> ing life.' 'Hath' is a present tense and to believe means personal possession.

If not drink Grain-O-made from pure the later using it for set week aching would induce me to go back the Artistic Shoe Maker.

If not drink Grain-O-made from pure passed from death unto life because the later using it for set week aching would induce me to go back to office. It nountains and feeds the system. The achildren can drink it freely with great bear the mean are conscious acts and proof that the members of the Army, of Cisco, have invited the members of the above named the members of the above named orders in December in a proof that the intensity of Grain Army, of Cisco, have invited the members of the above named orders in December of the above named orders in December in a proof that the Epirit, The spirit of God lange picule at Cisco on Thursday, Automotive and for old and young. He and zero.

believer and communicates to the

REV. C. S. LYLES.

narrated three of David's sins, but Passed Away Saturday. stopped as soon as he reached the climax of the sins, not telling the result nor David's repentance. He showed the great fault of half truths THE "On the whole we make too much of faults, the details of the business hide the real center of it. Oh, how half-

and employe ought to adopt this rule. The preacher then showed that to moved with his family to Columbus, Granite and marble monuments of It they did society would be organ- have a heart according to God's own Ohio. During their residence in that new and fine designs. Iron reservoir 12ed on an entirely different basis. If heart, the individual must have a city Mrs. Brown attended the Granvases very handsome, at Grindel & it were adopted the trust that are repeutent heart, a hungry heart, an ville Female Seminary and graduated Son's, corner East Main and Franklin robbing the people would be smitten admiring heart and a sincers heart. With the honors of her class. When before this law. As to the true He dwelt long on the thought of one's she was 19 years old her father moved Regardless of reports to the contrary definition of this law, it relates to our communion with God after the to Clinton, Ill., and it was at that the Vandalia-Pennsylvania Lines will desire for fair treatment to others. If realization of the soul's importance

> Supervisor Berry Badly Hurt. Taylorville Breeze: T. T. Berry of The buggy was overturned and Mr. Berry thrown heavily to the ground. He sustained two scalp wounds, one "If it were adopted what would be of them severe, his right shoulder was also a leading worker in the W. C. T. the result. There would be no little dislocated and the left collar bone U. Mrs. Brown was known for her

> > Woodman Prizes.

The following prizes offered at the love. If adopted in business there Woodman's pionic have been awarded: would be no labor troubles. If in- The first prize for the largest delecorporated into the laws of state then gation of Woodmen in the parade was we would do unto other nations as we awarded to the lodge at Elue Mound. railway will, on Thursday, September would have them do unto to us and The prize was an elegant 420 silk

low rates, less than one fare for the love, mercy, everything in God's gov- The driving club prizes were award- Miss Zeller will less round trip. For rates, time of trains, ernment. Regeneration from sin ed as follows: Dr. T. B. Spalding

Race was a child and the wound left

Pick in His Etbow.

Goes to Philippines.

E. H. Eckels who recently joined the He is stationed at Fort Sheridan and Robert H. Eckels is with Company D from him dated at Honolulu August ?

New Woodman Camp.

Deputy Consul J. H. Kingsley and Attorney W. H. Black went to Austin township Saturday evening and instituted a camp of Modern Woodmen The meeting was held in the town hall tion.

Will Fight the Case.

John R. Dougherty was arrested on s warrant charging him with running Wheat and Barley es liceuse. He gave bond and his cast was set for August 22, before Justice O Mara

Picuic at Ciaco.

believer and communicates to the spirit assuring the subject of his saved MRS. BROWN DEAD state."

Rev. Charles S. Lyles spoke of "The

Widow of Capt. Brown

FUNERAL SERVICES

Were Held This Afternoon from the in Decatur.

Mrs. Elizabeth Miller Smith Brown, class meeting held intsead. In the flash, or the earthquake's undulation weaks was confined to her bed and in evening the paster, Rev. M. B. New- or the cyclone's funnel, only one and a dangerous condition. Valvular heart comer, took for the subject of his talk the structure is gone. How often do discuss and Bright's disease caused

place, two years later that she was married to William J. Brown. Since their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Brown lived in Decatur. Mr. Brown died a Millepaugh before making your arsame treatment we expect from others rangements.

Taylorville Breeze: T. T. Berry of year and a half ago. Five children Grove City, chairman of the board of were born to the couple. They were Chicken fry at Shady Grove, five illustrated this law by the parable of supervisors, met with a serious run- Kate, who died in infancy, Miss miles southeast of Decatur, from 4 to the good Samaritan. The Levite and away accident while driving to town Harriet J. Brown, Mrs. Anna Maude the priest passed along on the other this morning to attend a sitting of the Simpson, wife of Randolph J. Simpson, side of the road from where the man board of review. Just after crossing son, Christopher N. Brown and Miss lay sick and suffering. The good the B. & O. railroad tracks on North Jessie Lizette Brown. The deceased tral railroad will run two chair cars Samaritan came along, bound up the Webster street the horse he was driving also survived by a sister, Mrs. J. L. from Decatur without change, via man's wounds and placed him upon ing became scared at an obstacle in Minor of Richhill, Mo.; a brother, road. Secure your seats soon and reach his friends. Here we have a Berry's efforts to stop the animal half-sisters, one living at Clinton and one at Blairdsville, Pa.

Mrs. Brown was well known in Decatur. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church and was prominent in the congregation and Sunday school of that organization and wes

chiques in churches. Christ was the broken. Besides these hurts it may charities. She was generous and kind and always ready to help others. She was an affectionate wife, a devoted mother and a true friend. The place made vacant by her death will be diffi cult to fill. She was united with the Presbyterian church at Clinton when 20 years old.

> Miss Clara M. Zeller, a young lady whom Mrs. Brown took to raise when a child, has been in the city for sev. eral weeks past. She is a trained nurse and served with the army in Cuba and came to Decatur to nurse Mrs. Brown during her final illuest Miss Zeller will leave in a few days

> > THE BURIAL

The funeral was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from the revidence on South Main street. There was a large Lazarus, General Passenger Agent, Indianapolis, Ind.

Indianapolis, Ind.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Evangelists Smith and Haasler, who were in the city to conduct the tent meeting, have gone to Elimwood. Since the tent meeting alosed they for the association. Most all of the money needed has been secured. At Elimwood Messrs. Smith and Haasler, will conduct another tent meeting.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Stratsville, Oho, saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had trad many remedies and doctors but a steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle Manuel and the residence on the chird, \$8 axle jack.

The first prize for the finest decorated than their finest decorated the carriage was awarded to Mrs. Wikoff.

The second and third prizes were not awarded.

The Niantin Forester team was awarded the prize for being the best drilled team outside the county, and the millinium will come when we are all willing to submit to the teachings of Jesus Christ."

"O'HRISTIAN ASSURANCE."

At the Cumberland Presysterian church in the morning Rev. A. W. Hawkins talked from the subject of "O'Aristian Assurance." He said trad many remedies and doctors but that we are saved? This is a subject of prime importance to the believer. Men are careful to make sure of them.

The first prize for the finest decorated to arriage was awarded to Mrs. Wikoff.

The second and third prizes were not darriage was awarded.

The shintle prize for being the carriage was awarded.

The slature for being the carriage was awarded to Mrs. Wikoff.

The second and third prizes were not darriage was awarded.

The first prize for the finest decorated.

The first prize for the finest decorated to Mrs. Wikoff.

The scannation of the first prize for being the priz

You Must Make Somé New

Brain Tissue

Every Day

Drop Back.

Good Food is the only

**Grape-Nuts** 

are made from parts of pecially selected for

supply.

Brain Building.

PIL OF-

DECATUR, ILLINOIS. Entered at Decatur as second class mail matter

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION. mail, postaga paid, one year...... mail, postage paid, one year.

Delivered by carrier to any part of city
For week, 10 cente; Tearly, in advance... 85.00

Postal card requests, or orders through telephone No. 48, will secure early attention of car-

itts in any district.
Address THE EVENING REPUBLICAN,
E(u b Water street, Decatur, Illinois

MONDAY, AUGUST 21, 1899.

THE ZIONIST MOVEMENT, Chicago Tribune: At no time has the Zionist movement, which has for its object the establishment of a Jowish nation in Palestine, had as encouraging prospects as now. The conference which opened at Basie yesterday finds the idea much further advanced than it was at the first conference held two years ago. Then the Jews of the world had just read the which the brilliant Viennese had published in the previous year. The reliant to Jerusalem had been a long inventors are think of it. These little booklet of Dr. Theodor Herzi, turn to Jerusalem and been cherished dream of the Hebrews, but they can manage. That sizzelator is a for. Herzl was the first to give the wonderful machine." ideas definite form, demanding the reconstruction of the Jewish people as | was supposed to do." n nation, the founding of a great Jewish company to be the executive pressed a fear that if he ever set it aof the nation, and the finding of a going at full speed in his effort to compermanent home for that nation. Societies were formed to carry out Dr. Herzl's ideas and at the first confersuce in 1897 117 organizations were air of secrecy, "because there is no need represented, while in 1898 the number of worrying the public after all the danhad grown to 913 and the present con-ference is likely to find the number man implicitly, and I admire his tal doubled. Everywhere the plan has ents, but I think you and I and a few met with a warm reception by the Hebrews. Since the last conference a Jewish company has been founded called the Jewish Colonial Trust, and 280,000 shares had been applied for a month ago by 100,000 shareholders in gave his wife. The temptation has been 10,000 towns scattered in all parts of too much for him. He has been fooling the world. It is believed that the with it. He got to experimenting in his Jewish colonies in Palestine will be aboratory, and he said to himself, just successful and lay the foundations of as the average weak mortal would do: a prosperous existence. The sultan of litturn the old machine on full tilt this Turkey is said to look with approval on the scheme, having been persuaded to do so by Emperor William of Ger-

ADDITIONS TO OUR NAVY. Ohicago Tribune: Naval Constructor

Hobson's report from Hong Kong reminds a forgetful public of his existence, and incidentally calls attention to the number of Spanish vessels that have been added to the American navy as a result of the war. The three vessels sunk by Dowey's guns at Manila and now under re-construction at Hong Kong are the Isla de Cuba, Isla de Luzon and Don Juan de Austrias, with a total estimated value of \$610,-000. As the raising and refitting have cost only one-half that sum, the United States has recovered over \$800, -000 of its war expenses in this form. There are also a number of smaller craft picked up in the rivers and harbors of the Philippines. Out of the Sparish fleet sunk at Santiago do Cuba we have secured only the Reina Mercedes and some small wooden boats. The sinking of the Maria Teresa in the Atlantic after it had been raised is a matter of regret, but or Friendly, islands, when George Tuif the other four steel vessels now bou fl. not only dared to defy the oppounder reconstruction are successfully litton of the chiefs by marrying the completed there will itil be enough of these war trophies to keep the nation reminded of the triumphs of

#### PUT TO THE TEST.

Decatur People Appreciate a Good Thing.

Everybody has their hour of trouble. Ent people having any itchiness of the skin liave many hours of trouble.

Nething so annoying. Nothing s

irritating, scratchest, it becomes worse. Loave it alone and you can hardly stand the misery.
Itohness comes in many forms.

E(z)ma and horrid itching piles.
Rollef and cure are here at last.
Decatur has put it to the test.

Doan's Unitment cures every form of itchiness of the skin.

People at home are learning that

Here is a proof in a citizen's statement:
Mrs. D. M. Fielding of 538 East
William street, says: "For years I
had eczema or a humor, the itching
of which at times was almost intoler-

able, especially along towards even-ing. I tried many different remedies but got no relief until I used Doan's white satin trimmed profusely with Ointment. The first application relief lieved the itchiness and I continued lieved the itchiness and I continued the technics and I continued the train, composed of silver and the train of the train of the train of the train. the treatment for some time with the most satisfactory results. Doan's Ointment is the best remedy I ever Ointment is the best remedy a syer used for my trouble. My husband oridemaids dressed in white silk. The joins me in praising Doans Kidney oride's trousseau was made in Sydney. Pills, which he used with the greatest and is very elaborate. King George is

Doan's Ointment for sale by all salers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Donn's and take

#### The Most Patal Disease,

More adults die of Kidney trouble than of any other disease. When the first symptoms of this disease appear, no time snould be lost in taking Foley. Kidney Cure, which is guaranteed or money refunded. 50-\$1.00. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

Polonaises of plaid will be worn . with plain-colored skirts.

'Folay's Kidney Cure has been tested and found to be all you claim for it. It have been giving it to my father and it is the only thing that ever helped him," writes Geo. C. Hickrock, Curtiss, Wis. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

A COLOSSAL THEORIST. ie Had Ideas That Were Magnificent,

But He Could Not Execute.

He wears a linen duster and a little low-crowned derby hat—probably the only specimens in the city. The man who sat on one end of the park bench reading a paper was interrupted by the reading a paper was interrupted by the query, in a very mild voice:

"Is there anything in that to-day's news about young Mr. Hoopla, the inventor?"

"Nothing that I have seen." "It has been terribly hot, hasn't it?"

"Cooled off, though, quite rapidly." "Quite."

Sure there isn't anything in that paer about Mr. Hoopla?"
"You may look for yourself."

"Oh, that isn't necessary. If there were anything it would have the biggest head on the page. They haven't been keeping an eye on Mr. Hoopla as they should have done. And I suppose he was too seared to let anything get out about it. But I am afraid he has been very careless with some of those marvelous inventions of his. You heard about his sizzelator?"

"I believe I have heard about something like that."

"I never understood exactly what it

"Nor I. But you remember he ex municate with Mars he might set fire to the atmosphere on this earth. I wouldn't spread this around promiscu ously if I were you," he went on with an more sensible people ought to draw up B paper and warn him not to do i again.

"Not to do what?"
"Take chances with the sizzelator. It was like the fatal key which Bluebeard once just for luck, and see what she'll do.' That was the day when the thermometer jumped for 100 in the shade and oxygen got so scarce that every-body had to breathe on half rations The little white clouds disappeared like the flame of a gas jet next the ourner. He was probably scared near-

y to death, and you can't blame him." "But the atmosphere didn't burn." "No. He succeeded in communicate ing with Mars all right. You know their civilization is a great deal older than ours. They have telescopes that ours couldn't be compared to. They have doubtless had sizzelators for years And when the inhabitants up there saw the danger we were in they dragged one of them out, loaded it up with fire-extinguishing chemicals and pointed it this way. It's magnificent," he added with a far-away look and a sigh, "but the general public has some rights, and he really ought to be more careful."-Washington Star.

TONGA'S ROYAL WEDDING.

How George Tubou H., King of the Friendly Islands, Made for Himself a Queen.

On the first of June, 1899, a new page was added to the history of the Tongan choice of his heart, but elevated her to his own rank. After the marriage ceremony, as his bride knelt before him, the king, placing the bright golden crown pon her head, said, in a clear voice:

Lavinia, I crown thee queen of Tonga. George Tubou II. is a handsome man being six feet three inches in height, and turning the scales at 300 pounds in complexion he resembles the Mexicans (Tongans are lighter than Hawaiians), with a most gentle expresion in his beautiful browneyes. He was ducated in New Zealand, and speaks English in a soft, well-modulated voice

in looks and bearing he is every inch king, and as he stood by the throne-hair in his own splendid chapel awaiting the arrival of his bride, dressed in full uniform, his breast adorned with dittering decorations, his crimson cobe, ermine-trimmed, upheld by two ittle boys of high rank attired in page suits of red and white velvet (the Longan national colors), one could not realize that all this was happening on in island belonging to a group which many readers have supposed to be still tingering in heathenism and beyond the

sale of civilization. Quite a flutter of excitement passed ver the assembled guests as Lavinia entered the church, leaning upon the urm of her father. Kubu, minister of police. She was exquisitely attired in white heavy brocade, fully five yards in length, which was held by her six ust 24 and his queen is 19.—Harper's

Weekly. Austria's Polyglot People.

There are so many languages spoken in the provinces of Austria-Hungary that interpreters are employed in the various parliaments to interpret the of the delegates and make them intelligible to all the members,-. Y. Journal.

One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures obstinate summer coughs and colds. "I consider it a most wonderful medicine—quick and safe."—W. W. Merton, Mayhew, Wis. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East End Orug Store.

Black velvet ribbons will appear as

an embellishment in many costumes. Pilesi Piles!

Why be bothered with this annoying complaint when Banner Salve will cure you. 25c. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.



This week we often every piece of Organdy, Lawns and Corded Dinities that sold for too and 12%c, and to close them out quickly we often your choice for a yard....

# Extraordinary Advance Sale.

This week we create an extraordinary advance sale of new, bright, beautiful Fall Merchandise—a sale that will surpass any that we have ever attempted—a sale at which you can purchase new Fall Goods at prices that may never occur again this season—a sale for which we create

## Bargains Bigger, Better, Greater Than Ever.

Every department, every counter, every table, every shelf, every available space in both our salesrooms is loaded down—Fall Goods piled clear to the ceilings. There never before was a store in Decatur so literally proceed with march and the country of the ceilings. packed with merchandise. To force out some goods and create a little room, to start Fall business with a boom and to decisively demonstrate we are pre-eminently Decatur's Greatest Bargain Store, this week it will actually pay you to borrow money to take advantage of

The Lowest Prices Ever Created on New Fall Merchandise.

Our Dress Goods Department this season is the pride of our store. Never before did we carry such an enormous stock. This department is actually twice as large as last season. We are now showing the latest novelties and fashions, newest metropolitan styles. To direct the attention of every intending purchaser to our new Fall Dress Goods, and to emphatically impress the wisdom of buying early and obtain the most exclusive style, and also to make our Dress Goods Department the talk of the town, we have decided this week, as a very special inducement, to create

#### Combination Sale of Dress Goods and Linings.

Like this--all for \$1.98. Like this—all for \$1.76.

25 pleces of extre fine twilled Henriottus, all new and fresh, in all the new fall shades and black, 25 pieces of wool mixed brocaded Jacquards, all colors and black—very handsome fall fabrics, equal in appearance to high priced materials—dress goods usually sold at 25c a yard, but for this sale as a very special advance inducement we offer:

8 yards of any of these goods.

2 yards of yard wide 12½c silesia.

2 yards of inner canvas.

6 yards of best kid finish skirt Hning.

4½ yards of best cordurey binding.

5 yards of cost and mass.

1 set of twin stays.

1 card of patent hooks and eyes, 1 spool of silk, 100 yards.

1 spool of Coats' thread.

All for.

Your money refunded at any time if you find this is not one of the greatest bargains of the fall season.

Read this -- all for \$2.75.

Read this—all for \$2.75.

30 pieces of all wool Tricot cloth, in all the now fall shades and in black.

25 pieces of beautiful all wool new fall Venctian cloths, in all the new colors, and in black.

25 pieces of hardsome stylish camel's hair plaids and checks.

25 pieces of new beautiful armures, all colors and black, and

25 pieces of extra fino heavy twilled, all wool serges, in all colors and black.

For this sale as an extraordinary special advance sale inducement come and take your choice of any 7 yard dress length, with all the linings and find—\$2.75

N. B.—The dress goods alone are worth the entire amount. Your money refunded at any time if diseatisfied.

Read this—211 for \$4.48.

Read this--all for \$4.48. 

#### Very special bargains For ordinary Every Day Dresses and Children's School Dresses. New, Bright Worsted

Plaids 5c a yard.

25 pieces of new handsome double fold worsted plaids, all new, bought specially or children's school dresses, no two pieces like. Remamber those are regular 10c dress goods, but for this sale this week we offer them at calloo prices, namely, a yard

15c Wool Alpacas 6½c a yard 20 pieces of wool alpace dress goods in plain colors, including all the new desirable shades, red, blue, green, brown, purple. Here is an exceptional opportunity to buy a nice school dress at less than half price. This sale a yard.

All at 10c a yard.

25 pieces of handsome new wool broundes, serges and novelty effects, nice bright desirable dross goods and instead of 18a s yard this saie our price a 10C

Beautiful Fall Silks. 500 New Pieces---An Enor-

mous Variety--Just Opened this week.

50-inch beautiful homespuns.
50-inch stylish camel's hair.
54-inch black French Cropons.
(Not a yard in this entire lot will be sold this season less than \$1 a yard, but for this season less than \$1 a yard, but for this season less than \$1 a yard but for this season less than \$1 a yard but for this season less than \$1 a yard but for this season less than \$1 a yard but for this season less than \$1 a yard but for this season less than \$1 a yard.

5 pieces 24-inch black revait Silks.
6 pieces 24-inch black crystal Silks.
7 pieces 24-inch black crystal Silks.
8 pieces 24-inch black revait Silks.
8 pieces 24-inch purabet Silks.
8 pieces 24-inch black revait Silks.
9 pieces 24-inch purabet Silks.
9 pieces 24-inch black revait Silks.
9 pieces 24-inch purabet Silks.
9 pieces 2

Just Opened--An Entire Case of Ladies' New Fall Neckwear.

## Bright, New Fall Dress Goods Extraordinary Very Special Advance Sale Prices in Linens, Stylish New Fall Dress Goods Inducements.

Ready-Made Sheets.  Towels that sold for 8c  Now  Sol dozen of very large elegant all linen towels, very special, each.  Each of the special s		De la Maria Charle
So checked towels, this sale.  Towels that sold for 8c  now.  Towels, very special,  ench.  IOC  special in the sold core damast towels  IOC places of heavy twilled cotton crash toweling, worth 4c a yard, this sale our price.  Stevens brown all linen  Crash.  Stevens brown all linen  Crash.  Stevens loc heavy elegant all linen  Crash.  Stevens loc heavy elegant all linen  Crash is sule a yard.  Stevens loc heavy elegant all linen  Crolors this sule a yard.  So ored table linen, warranted fast colors, this sule a yard.  So very best red table linen, this sale.  Example of the places of dark standard calico for contable damask, this sale a  yard.  So had be sale all linen  table damask, this sale a  yard.  So this sale a yard.  So this sale a yard.  Full size unbleached ready mode of could beached and full size  ready made for sheaty ency sale  sheats sole of sull bleached and full size  ready made shoots, this sale.  Secutiful hemstitched face sheats,  full 9-4 size, this sale.  So full bleached and full size  ready made for sheaty.  State size 9-4 unbleached ready made shoots, this sale.  State size 9-4 unbleached ready made shoots, this sale.  State size 9-4 unbleached ready made shoots, this sale.  State size of sull bleached and full size  ready made for shoots, this sale.  State size of size shoots, this sale.  State of unbleached and full size  sale unbleached and full size  should state size the sale.  State of unbleached and full size  sale unbleached and full size  sale size of sale and sull size  sale unbleached shoots, this sale  State of handsome lalf size  sale unbleached shoots, this sale  sale unbleached shoots, this sale  sale unbleached shoots, this	Towels.	Ready-Made Sheets.
towels, very special, each.  25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck cand 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck cand 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed colored broche borders, very 19C  Toweling.  50 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash towels yeard.  50 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash towels yeard.  50 pieces of heavy elegant all linen crash.  50 pieces of heavy elegant all linen 6½C  Stevens' 10c heavy elegant		Prices for Our Advance Sale Only.
towels, very special, each.  25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck cand 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck cand 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed buck and 25 dozen basutiful homestitohed colored broche borders, very 19C  Toweling.  50 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash towels yeard.  50 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash towels yeard.  50 pieces of heavy elegant all linen crash.  50 pieces of heavy elegant all linen 6½C  Stevens' 10c heavy elegant	Towels that sold for 8e	Full size unbleached ready made shorts.
25 dozen of handsome damask towels—knotted fringe, plain white or colored brockle borders, very special.  19C  Teweling.  260 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash towelling, worth 40 a yard, this sale word, this sale word, this sale word, this sale word towelling, worth 40 a yard, this sale word, this word, this sale word, this sale word, this word, this sale word, this word, this sale word, this sale word, the word word, the word word word word word word word, the word word word word word word, the word word word word word word word word		worth 45c, for this 35c
25 dozen of handsome damask towels—knotted fringe, plain white or colored brockle borders, very special.  19C  Teweling.  260 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash towelling, worth 40 a yard, this sale word, this sale word, this sale word, this sale word towelling, worth 40 a yard, this sale word, this word, this sale word, this sale word, this word, this sale word, this word, this sale word, this sale word, the word word, the word word word word word word word, the word word word word word word, the word word word word word word word word	i tawas varv sikiciki. Ikur	Extra size 9-4 unbleached ready
and 25 dozen of handsome damage to handsome damage to colored broche borders, very special.  Toweling.  50 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash toweling, worth 6c a yard, this sile our price.  Stevens' brown all timen 32C crash 25C trevens' 10c heavy elegant all linen 62C crash a yard.  Table Linens.  25c rad table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  50c very best red table linen, this 35C sale a yard.  50c very best red table linen, this 35C sale a yard.  50c inch handsome half bleached all linen table damask, this sale a 25C yard.  72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached Lirish table linen, worth 49C yard.  10 pieces of two finest imported full bleached Irish table linens, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Bedspreads.  45c tands shocks, this sale.  49c tarts size blocached 49c thill 9-4 size, this sale.  49c this sale on the sale, this sale.  49c this sale on the sale, this sale.  49c to sale shout sale, this sale.  49c this sale on the sale, this sale.  49c to sale shout sale, this sale.  49c to sale shout sale sale, this sale.  49c to sale shout sale sale.  49c to sale sale sale	eachtowald have towald	made 50c shoets, this salo
-knotted fringe, plain white or lancy special.  Teweling.  To pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash toweling, worth 40 a yard, this sale our price. Stevens' brown all timen 32C Stevens' brown all timen crash.  Stevens' 100 heavy elegant all timen 62C Stevens' 100 heavy elegant all timen crash, a yard.  Table Linens.  25c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, grouine off 25c colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, grouine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, this 35c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, brownine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table dinen, warranted fast 22c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast color	I amil 45 degen of hundsome demons tower	ready made shoets, this sale 430
50 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash toweling, worth 4c a yard, this sile our price.  Stevens brown all linen 32C crash.  Stevens' 100 heavy elegant all linen 62C crash.  25c rad table linen, warranted fast 122C colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  50c very best red table linen, this 35C colors this sale a yard.  50c ineh handsome half bleached all linen table damask, this sale a 25C colors this sale a yard.  72-ineh genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 68c, this sale our price a yard.  10 pieces of very heavy elegant silver bleached Austrian linens, worth 49C 75c, this sale a yard.  25 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table linens, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Bedspreads.	-knotted fringe, plain white or laney	9-4 extra size bleached 45c
50 pieces of heavy twilled cotton crash toweling, worth 4c a yard, this sile our price.  Stevens brown all linen 32C crash.  Stevens' 100 heavy elegant all linen 62C crash.  25c rad table linen, warranted fast 122C colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, warranted fast 122C colors this sale a yard.  50c very best red table linen, this 35C colors this sale a yard.  50c ineh handsome half bleached all linen table damask, this sale a 25C colors this sale a yard.  72-ineh genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 68c, this sale our price a yard.  10 pieces of very heavy elegant silver bleached Austrian linens, worth 49C 75c, this sale a yard.  25 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table linens, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Bedspreads.	special	Beautiful hemstitched 65c sheets,
toweling, worth see a yard, this sale our price.  Stevens' brown all linea	Taweling.	full 9-4 size, this sale
sale our price. Stevens' brown all linen crash. Stevens' loo heavy elegant all linen crash, a yard.  Table Linens.  Ste red table linen, warranted fast colors, this sale a yard.  So red table linen, genuine off colors, this sale a yard.  So red table linen, genuine off colors this sale a yard.  So red table linen, genuine off colors this sale a yard.  So very best red table linen, this colors this sale a yard.  Solo very best red table linen, this colors this sale a yard.  Solo very best red table linen, this colors this sale a yard.  Solo very best red table linen, this color sale a yard.  Table Linens.  Stevens' loo heavy elegant all then this colors, this sale a yard.  Solo very best red table linen, this color sale a yard.  Table Linens.  Callcos and Cotton Batting.  100 pieces of dark standard calleo for comforts, this sale all you want, a color forts, this sale out price a color forts, this sale out price a color forts, this sale all you want, a color forts, this sale out price a color forts, this sale out price a color forts, this sale all you want, a color forts, this sale out price a color forts, this sale all you want, a color forts, this sale out price a color forts, this sale out price a color forts, this sale all you want, a color forts, this sale all you want, a color fo	ito places of hours twilled cotton crasp	
Table Linens.  25c rad table linen, warranted fast 12 colors, this sale a yard.  39c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  39c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  30c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard state a 25c yard.  25c colors this sale a yard.  35c colors this sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a yard.  36c colors this sale all yard.  36c colors this sale all you want, a 3c color sale all you want, a 10c pool of your wintered to you w	towelling, worth 4c a yard, this	45x36 pillow cases, worth 9c, this 5c
Table Linens.  25c rad table linen, warranted fast 12 colors, this sale a yard.  39c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  39c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  30c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard state a 25c yard.  25c colors this sale a yard.  35c colors this sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a yard.  36c colors this sale all yard.  36c colors this sale all you want, a 3c color sale all you want, a 10c pool of your wintered to you w	Stevens' brown all linen	45x36 very handsome 1214c ready
Table Linens.  25c rad table linen, warranted fast 12 colors, this sale a yard.  39c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  39c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  30c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard state a 25c yard.  25c colors this sale a yard.  35c colors this sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a linen, this 35c sale a yard.  36c colors this sale a yard.  36c colors this sale all yard.  36c colors this sale all you want, a 3c color sale all you want, a 10c pool of your wintered to you w	crash	made pillow cases, this sale
Table Linens.  25c rad table linen, warranted fast 12 to colors, this sale a yard.  35c rad table linen, grounde off 25c colors this sale a yard.  50c very best red table linen, this 35c sale a yard.  60-ineh handsome half bleached all linen table damask, this sale a 25c yard.  72-ineh ground imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 68c, this sale our price a yard.  10 pieces of very heavy elegant silver bleached Austrian linens, worth 49c 75c, this sale a yard.  25 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table linens, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Bedspreads.  Sale cost and Cotton Batting.  100 pieces and Cotton Batting.  1000 rolls of pure white cotton batting a roll.  12-cz cotton batting, a roll.  12-cz cotton batting, a roll.  1000 rolls of very nice 10c fipu ranted 16 ozs. in a roll, at 10c cach.  10 pieces of very heavy elegant silver blenched Austrian linens, worth 49c 75c, this sale a yard.  25 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table linens, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  50 pieces of beautiful new fall satines, blues, blacks and cotton batting.  60 pieces of beautiful new fall satines, blues, blacks are yard.  50 pieces of beautiful new fall satines, blues, blacks, regular 10c satines.  51 components and cotton batting.		sold less than 15c, this
25c rad table linen, warrantes last 22c colors, this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, genuine off 25c colors this sale a yard.  35c red table linen, this 35c colors red table linen, this 35c color last red	Table Linens.	Sale
38c red table linen, growthe off colors this sale a yard.  50c very best red table linen, this 35c sale a yard.  50c very best red table linen, this 35c sale a yard.  50c very handsome half bleached all linen table damask, this sale a 25c yard.  72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 68c, this sale our price a yard.  10 pieces of very heavy elegant silver bleached Austrian linens, worth 49c 75c, this sale a yard.  20 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table linens, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  See the sale a yard wide percales in new fall colors, a yard very fine 10c percales, handsome new blues, rods, etc., a yard.  The best 5c apron gingham a 3 c yard.  Singson's silk finished prints a 3 c	250 red table linen, warranted fast 1910	
colors this sale a yard 1000 rolls of pure white cotton bat- 50k very best red table linen, this 35C sale a yard 1000 rolls of pure white cotton bat- ting a roll 1000 rolls of very nice 10c five 100	colors, this sale a yard	100 pieces of dark standard called for com-
sale a yard	390 red table linen, gordine of 250	l ward
to ble damask, this sale a 25c yard.  72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 86c, this sale our price a yard.  75c, this sale our price a yard.  75c, this sale a yard.  75c, this sale our price a yard.  75c, this sale a yard.  75c, this sale our price a yard.  75c, this sale a yard.  75c, this sale our price a yard.  75c, this sale our price a yard.  75c, this sale a yard.  75c, this sale our price a yard.  75c a yard wide percales in now fall colors, a yard.  75c bleecs of yard wide percales in now fall colors, a yard.  75c bleecs of yard wide p	500 very tweet red table linen, this 350	1000 rolls of pure white ootion bat-
72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 850, this sale our price a yard.  39c  72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 850, pleces of yard wide percales.  50 pleces of yard wide percales in new fall colors, a yard.  75c, this sale a yard.  75c, this sale a yard wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sule our price a yard.  75c  75c  75c  75c  75c  75c  75c  75	60 inch handsome half bleached all lines	1000 rolls of very nice 10c fine 72C
72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 850, this sale our price a yard.  39c  72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch half bleached table linen, worth 850, pleces of yard wide percales.  50 pleces of yard wide percales in new fall colors, a yard.  75c, this sale a yard.  75c, this sale a yard wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sule our price a yard.  75c  75c  75c  75c  75c  75c  75c  75	table damask, this sale a 25c	12-uz cotton batting, a roll
this sails our price a yard.  10 pieces of very heavy elegant silver blenched Austrian linens, worth 49c 75c, this sails a yard with this sails our price a yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sails our price a yard.  Bedspreads.  Percaies, Satines, Cinghams.  50 pieces of yard wide percaies in new fall colors, a yard.  Very fine 10c percaies, handsome new blues, rods, etc., a yard.  50 pieces of the autiful new fall satines.  51 prices of beautiful new fall satines.  52 prices, Satines, Cinghams.  53 prices of yard wide percaies in 50 pieces of yard wide percaies.  54 prices of yard wide percaies.  55 pieces of yard wide percaies.  56 pieces of yard wide percaies.  56 pieces of yard wide percaies.  58 precaies, Satines, Cinghams.  59 pieces of yard wide percaies.  50 pieces of yard wide percaies.	72-inch genuins imported Irish and Scotch	ranted 16 ozs. in a roll, at
75c, this sale a yard. 20 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table lines, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Selection of the finest imported full bleached new bluos, rods, etc., a yard.  The best 5c apron gingham a 3½ C pieces of beautiful new fall settines, blues, blacks and all the new fall statues, blues, blacks and all the new fall statues.  Simpson's silk finished prints a 3½ C		
75c, this sale a yard. 20 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table lines, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Selection of the finest imported full bleached new bluos, rods, etc., a yard.  The best 5c apron gingham a 3½ C pieces of beautiful new fall settines, blues, blacks and all the new fall statues, blues, blacks and all the new fall statues.  Simpson's silk finished prints a 3½ C	vard	Percales, Satines, Ginghams.
75c, this sale a yard. 20 pieces of the finest imported full bleached Irish table lines, 2 yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Selection of the finest imported full bleached new bluos, rods, etc., a yard.  The best 5c apron gingham a 3½ C pieces of beautiful new fall settines, blues, blacks and all the new fall statues, blues, blacks and all the new fall statues.  Simpson's silk finished prints a 3½ C	10 pieces of very heavy elegant silver	50 pieces of yard wide percales in 50
20 pieces of the lines; a yards wide, the best values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this sale our price a yard.  Bedspreads.  The best for apron ging ham a 3½ C pieces of beautiful new fall settines, blues, blacks and all the new fall stades, regular 10c settines.  Simpson's sitk finished prints a 3½ C	Mellened Abstract thions, works	Very fine 10e percates, handsome
values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this suite our price a yard.  Bedspreads.  Sulphysical places of beautiful new fall settings, blues, blacks and all the new fall settings, stades, regular 10c settings.  Simpson's sitk finished prints a 3½C	198 Magas of the linest importable to become	I new place, receipt about a bareaccine
Bedspreads.  690  blues, blacks and all the new fall 620  shades, regular 10c satines.  Simpson's sitk finished prints a 320	values in America, even at \$1 a yard, this	II word
Bedspreads. Simpson's silk finished prints a 3 c	sale our price a 690	
To the state of th		anades regular loc success
1 case of 75c bedspreads roduced 4/C New charlot shirtings a	Beuspreaus.	ward
	1 case of 75c bedspreads reduced 470	New chariot shirtings a yard
1 case of \$1 bed spreads, lovely Mar- 69c Black and white heavy shirt-	1 case of \$1 bed spreads, lovely Mar- 690	Black and white heavy shirt-
tunes of the vary best \$1.50 bed spreads ings.	soilies designs, reduced to bed spreads-	ings.
1 case of \$1 bed spreads, lovely Mar- scilles designs, reduced to. 1 case of the very best \$1.50 bed spreads- very large size, this  98c  Black and white heavy shirt- ings Very fine West Lake elegant 10c cheviot shirtings, a yard.  6½C	very large size, this	cheviot shirtings, a yard
Sille	SILC	

## BLANKETS, COMFORTS, FLANNELS---VERY ADVANCED SALE PRICES.

ets, this sale a pair	200
10.4 extra fine fleeged cotton blank. A Q 🗪 [	ſ
ate instead of 750 this same	Fla
11.4 very heavy elegant needed conton	
blankets, in all colors, instead of Care at	20
\$1. this sale a pair	25 <sup>3</sup>
11.4 ONTER DEEP HILL DEATS CONSTRUCT	20,
blankers in grov or thus, very	5
	ΤŃ
10.4 wool mixed grey and mottled blankets, [	- "
instead of \$1.75, this sale, a	ъc
100 pairs of beautiful all wool blankets, in	ve
grey, or tan or white, worth \$2.69	t
\$3.50, this sale a pair	
Elegant all wool blankets such as are usual-	50
ly sold later in the season for \$2.98	
\$3.75, this sale a pair	(
Comforts.	Ve
I case of hed comforts cotton filled advance	. !
sale price, instead of 49c	1
750	Ti
1 case of superior grade regular \$1 cotton	. !
filled comforts, advance sate 69c	TI.
price	
1 case of extra large size cotton 89c	1
filled comforts, this sale	

1	AD A MILOND OF		
	Blankets.  10-4 heavy fleeced 50c cotton blankets, this sale a pair	Very handsome fine saft comforts per white cotton batting filling, tied wyarn, instead of \$1.26 they go for 200 very handsome comforts.  20 pieces of white Shaker flannel, a yard.  25 pieces of very nice, extra heavy whe Shaker flannel, a yard.  Twenty pieces of the best heavy elegant cotton flannel a yard.  Very fine cotton flannel, good beavy flee the best 10s grade over shown, this sale our price a yard.  O pieces of handsome striped new falling flannels in light and dark colors, this sale a yard.  Very fine outing flannels in pretty pink light blue stripes, the 80 grades, this sale a yard.  The genuine Ameskeag Teasle down fine with light of large of the pieces.	14.5 C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C

nels in light and durk colors, nover sold less than 10z, this sale. 72 C seatiful wool eider down flannels that will sell later in the season for 35c and 40z, this sale our price for any color, red. pink, lbue, tan, oream or white, 25 C a vard. 

## It Pays to Trade with the Stewart Dry Goods Company



## **JUST** RECEIVED! Palace King

A lot of Elegant IRON BEDS have been received that we will sell you at prices far below values.

A car of Bed Room Suits at the old prices. Buy now and save the advance.

See our new line of Sideboards. Our \$20 board Come where you can find the goods at the right

A FULL LINE OF CARPETS.

The Big Furniture Store.

Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. 240, 242, 244, 252 East Main Street.

I have the exclusive sale of the old reliable PALAGE KING FURNAGE. Now is the time to have your furnace looked after.

Furnace...

C. J. Ferguson, W. L. FERGUSON, Manager. | 658 E. Eldorado st.

Race Clothing Mfg

2,000

Hot Weather SHIRTS-

Worth 75c,

Reduced to **BIG REDUCTION on** 

Straw Hats and Summer Cloth

COME AND SEE

Race Clothing Mfg. 129-135 North Water Str



### Reduced Ra Under this column will alway

announcements of the reduced various points offered by the Wall By looking over the beadlines on can see at a glance if you are interested and may money at the cost of very little time

Tacoma, Seattle, Portland, California and western Points.

Daily until this announcement is withdrawn you can go and Washington points for \$30.25, to California for \$1

Southern, Southwestern and Western P One way cettlers' tickets cold to principal points in Al. b. ida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North ... Carolina, Tonnessee and Virginia on the first and third be each month at greatly reduced rates.

Homoscekers round try tickets to same points, also to Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Iow

Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Iow Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebrasku, New Mexico kota, South Dakota, Okiahoma, Orogon, Texas, Utah, Wisconsin, Northern Michigan and Wyoming on first Tuesdays of each month, good returning every Tuesday for twenty-one days. One fare plus \$2 for the round trip-California tourist tickets, good returning every nine wor liberal stopover privileges in each direction, on sale day.

Sunday Rates.

On Sunday you can secure a ticket to many points at a duced rates. You can go to Danville and return for \$2.21, field \$1.16, to Jacksonville \$2.18, to St. Louis \$3.55. Fuers tickets are also sold for Saturday afternoon trains and are turn up to an including train leaving St Louis 9 a m the Monday. These are just half rates. Half saxed in every points are sold at proportionately lew rates.

Special Rates.

Philadelphis, Pa., account G. A. R. Sept. 4th to 9th; rate Niggara Falls. On sale Sept. 1st to 4th, good returning to Will be extended to Sept. 30th by depositing with point

Columbus, Ohio, account national meeting American Advancement of Science; \$9.40 round trip. Tickets sold and 20, good returning till Sept. 15.

Urbana, account Twin City Chautauqua, Aug. 1827, round trip. Good going Aug. 17 to 27 inclusive, limit a until Aug. 28. Through Sleepers to Detroit, Niagara Fails, Buffalo, N. Boston.

Mr. C. A. Policck, passenger and ticket agent, Decatur, glad so have you call at the Decatur city ticket office of th Railroad, or your letter addressed to him will receive care eration and attention. Advertising matter on the above su at the city ticket office for distribution, or will be mused address on application.

J. B. Bullard, FUNERAL

address on application.

DIRECTOR. SYNDICATE BLOCK, NORTH MAIN



Fold by W. F. Noisler Drug & Supply Co., De

every piece of Organdy, Lawns and Corded Diraities that sold for 10c and 12½c, and to close them out quickly we offer your choice for a yard...

## nce Sale.

bright, beautiful Fall Merchant which you can purchase new Fall

#### er Than Ever.

de space in both our salesrooms is ore was a store in Decatur so literally room, to start Fall business with a eatest Bargain Store, this week it will

#### Fall Merchandise.

#### Advance Sale Prices in Linens, OMESTICS, CALICOES, PERCALES.

Prices for Our Advance Sale Only.

Ready-Made Sheets.

SC   Full size umbleached ready made sheets, worth 45c, for this sale   Sc   Sc   Sc   Sc   Sc   Sc   Sc   S	2½C	Prices for Our Advance Sale On	ıy.
12C   150% pulsow cases, worth 9c, this 5C   150% very handsome 123c ready   1 ande pellow cases, this sale   150%   1 ande pellow cases, this sale   150%   1 ande pellow cases, this sale   150%   1	5C <sup>1</sup> gent al. In n 10C et hu k towels denies towes the or funcy	worth 45c, for this Extension 9.4 unbleached ready reads the sheets, this sale See hul bleached and full size renus nade sheets, this sale	35c 39c 43c
3 c   1 c	i chian chini		
3 c 1 c c ver; handsome 123c ready 1 and pollow cases, this sale 12 c Lovely hemstitched pillow cases, nover sold less than 15c, this sale 12 c callicoes and Cotton Batting.  100 pieces of dark standard called for comfort, this sale all you want, a year of the 15c catton batting a roll.  125c 16c cotton batting, a roll.  25c 16c rest and Seath rands 16c of the 15c cotton batting, a roll.  25c 16c rest and Seath rands 16c ozs. in a roll, at 10c catton batting, a roll.  39c Percales, Satines, Ginghams.  1 a yeard viver y process of yard wide percales in new fall colors, a yard.  1 a yeard, this sale all you want, a yeard.  1 for his benched the case of yard wide percales in new fall colors, a yard.  1 a yard, this yeard, this yeard the percales, handsome new blues, rods, etc., a yard.  1 a yard, this yard.  1 a yard, this yeard years of beautiful new fall satines, blues, blacks and all the new fall shales, regular 10c satins.  1 cold 47c New cheviot shirtings a yard.	it a like	15-79, paling cases, worth 9c, this	5c
2 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	32c 62c	1 ale pillow cases, this sale	92C
the 35C focts, this sake all you want, a 3C yeard 160 rolls of pure white cotton batting a roll.  25C 160 rolls of very nice foc fine 1202 catton batting, a roll.  25C 160 rolls of very nice foc fine 1202 catton batting, a roll.  150 rolls of very nice foc fine 1202 catton batting, a roll.  39C Percales, Satines, Ginghams.  49C rolls of very fine cotton batting, warranted 16 ozs, in a roll, at (ach.)  10C synthetic foc set of very fine cotton batting, warranted 16 ozs, in a roll, at (ach.)  10C rolls of very nice foc fine 1200 remains a varianted for very fine cotton batting, warranted 16 ozs, in a roll, at (ach.)  10C rolls of very nice foc fine 1200 remains a varianted price of very fine cotton batting, warranted 16 ozs, in a roll, at (ach.)  10C rolls of very nice foc fine 1200 remains a varianted price of batting, a roll and string, and side in the least regular 10c satinas.  10C rolls of very nice foc fine 1200 remains a set blue, batting, a roll.  11C rolls of very nice foc fine 1200 remains a varianted price of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  11C rolls of very nice foc fine 1200 remains a varianted focus of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  11C roll of very fine foct on the roll.  12C rolls of very nice foct on the price foct of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  12C roll of very fine foct on the roll.  12C roll of very fine foct on the roll.  12C roll of very fine foct on the roll.  12C roll of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  12C roll of very fine foct on the roll.  12C roll of very fine foct on the roll.  12C roll of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  12C roll of very fine foct on the roll.  12C roll of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  12C roll of very fine foct of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  12C roll of very fine foct of very fine cotton batting, a roll.  12C roll of very fine foct of very fine cotton batting, a roll of very fine foct of very f	-16-14-	Calicoes and Cotton Batting.	
39C Percales, Satines, dinghams.  (1) precess of yard wide percales in 150 precess of yard, yard, yard, this yard, this yard, this yard, yar	this 35c 101 d a 117 en 25c 1151 and Sc (tab	forts, this sale all you want, a provide of pure white cotton bat- ting a roll. provide of very nice los fine 12.02 cotton batting, a roll. 10.y tolls of very fine cotton batting ranted 16 025. in a roll, at	3c 4½c 7½c
with 49C row fall colors, a yard wide percess in 5C row fall colors, a yard row blues, rods, etc., a yard fall a yard, this fall a yard, this fall colors, and row fall satines, row blues, rods, etc., a yard fall colors, a yard row fall satines, blues, blacks and all the new fall colors, rogular 10c satinas for yard row fall satines, rogular 10c satinas for yard row fall colors and sit fall satines for yard row fall colors and sit fall satings a yard row fall colors and white heavy shirt go	39c	·	
98C Chevrot shirtings, a yard.	wight siver with 49c of 19th blenched is wide, the best star wide, the best star wide, this 69c of 1 and 47c	new full colors, a yard.  Yey jone be percubes, handsome new blues, reds, etc., a yard.  The best 5c apron gingham a yard  blues, blacks and all the new full	62C 32C satines,
98c Very hno West Lake elegant 10c 61c	;; ::::::. <b>69</b> c	Hise's and white hoasy shirt-	9 kc
	000	Very has West Lake elegant 10c cheviot shirtings, a yard.	6 <sub>2</sub> c

## S, COMFORTS, FLANNELS---VERY ADVANCED SALE PRICES.

_	Very handsome fine soft comforts p white cotton batting filling, tied w	17.7
29c 29c 49c	vara, instead of \$1.25 ther go lor	DCC.
200	Twi very handsome com-	٩
° .hk- 49c	forts	•
'a sed coron	Flanneis.	
<sup>-ઓર્ડ</sup> 98c	10 purces of white Shaker flannel, a 2	2
300	surd	
sistem freed	I's inverse of very 1,300. Oxira agary we	1110
89c	Shaker Pannel, a	C
	Striker flannel, a pard Twenty pieces of the best heavy ele-	
outled blankets.		
* \$1.25	5c votton flannel a 2.	10
of bluracts, in	Se cotton flannel a 3-	,,,,
	i Very fine colton Hannel, good newy he	out,
<sup>th</sup> \$2.69	the best 105 girde ever shown, this sale our price a yard	, C
this ire usual-	50 pice s of handsome striped new fall	out-
¹ <u>*</u> \$2.98	ing flannels in light and dark colors, this sale a yard	40
92.50	colors, this cale a yard	70
	Very fine outing flannels in pretty pink	W11T
en had advance	hight blue stripes, the 8c grades, this sale a yard.	۶C
49c gu ir ši cotton	The or mano Ameskeas Teasis COWN 1	T4P3 1_
on at \$1 cotton	note in light and dark colors, nover sold less than 10c, this sale?	10
	nover sold less than 10s, this sale "	20
<b>0</b> 90	Beautiful wool eider down flannels that	At III
ton 89c	sell later in the season for 35c and	red.
······· 050	this sale our price for any color.	
erl with sat n		JÜ
ples, fine, seft,	White wool fiannels, very special 15c, 20c, 25c, 195 and	Sc.
SI. 25	15c, 20c, 25c, 29s and	20

## **Dry Goods Company**

# lace King

e the exclusive sale of the old le Palace King Furnace.

he time to have your furnace-

J. Ferguson, GUSON, Manager. 658 E. Eldorado st.





## 2,000 Hot Weather SHIRTS

Worth 75c,

## Reduced to 45c. BIG REDUCTION on Straw Hats and Summer Clothing

COME AND SEE.

Race Clothing Mfg. Co., 129-135 North Water Street.



## Reduced Rates

Under this column will always be found announcements of the reduced rates to various points offered by the Wabash road. By looking over the headlines each day you save money at the cost of very little time.

Tacoma, Seattle, Portland, California and Northwestern Points.

Daily until this announcement is withdrawn you can go to Oregon and Washington points for \$36.25, to California for \$41.90.

#### Southern, Southwestern and Western Points.

Cre way settlers' tickets sold to principal points in Alabama, Flor Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia on the first and third Tuesdays of

Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia on the first and third Tuesdays of each mouth at greatly reduced rates.

Homeseekors' round trip tickets to same points, also to Arizona, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Washington, Was ensin, Northern Michigan and Wyoming on first and third Lesdays of each mouth, good returning every Tuesday or Friday for twenty-one days. One fare plus \$2 for the round trip.

Colifornia tourist tickets, good returning every nine months, with literal stopover privileges in each direction, on sale daily.

#### Sunday Rates.

On Sunday you can secure a ticket to many points at greatly reduced rates. You can go to Danville and roturn for \$2.21, to Springheld \$1.16, to Jacksonville \$2.18, to St. Louis \$3.55. These St. Louis kets are also sold for Saturday afternoon trains and are good to return up to an including train leaving St. Louis 9a. m. the following Monday. These are just half rates. Half saved in every case, other tents are sold at proportionately lew rates.

#### Special Rates.

Philadelphia, Pa., account G. A. R., Sept. 4th to 9th; rate \$17.60, via Magara Falls. On sale Sept. 1st to 4th, good returning to Sept. 12th. William be extended to Sept. 30th by depositing with joint agent and Falment of 50c.

Columbus, Ohio, account national meeting American Association Advancement of Science; \$9.40 round trip. Tickets sold Aug. 18, 19 and 20, good returning till Sept. 15.

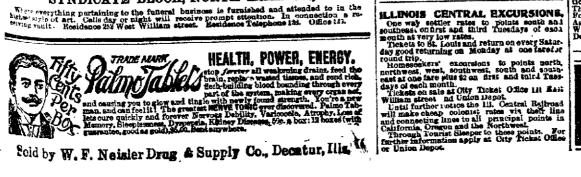
Urbana, account Twin City Chautauqua, Aug. 18-27, 1899. \$1.85 round trip. Good going Aug. 17 to 27 inclusive, limited to return this Aug. 28.

Through Sleepers to Detroit, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York and

Mr C. A. Pollock, passenger and ticket agent, Decatur, Ill., will be field so have you call at the Decatur city ticket office of the Wabash had road, or your letter addressed to him will receive careful consideration and attention. Advertising matter on the above subjects now at the city ticket office for distribution, or will be mailed to your address on application.

#### J. B. Bullard, FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

SYNDICATE BLOCK, NORTH MAIN ST., Where everything partaining to the folleral business is furnished and attended to in the highest style of art. Calls day or night will receive prompt stroution. In connection a retring wallt. Residence 253 West William street. Residence Telephone 131. Office 123.



#### HARVARD BOYS.

They Find a Man with an Unfortunate

One rainy afternoon some months ago small band of Harvard students were iounging about the dermitory hall, not knowing quite what to do with them-selves. There was nothing of sufficient interest going on in Boston to compensate for the long, nasty ride in a stuffy trolley car, and the town of Cambridge itself offered absolutely no

One of the fellows suggested that they telephone about to various friends in the other dormitories and find out if there was any news to be learned But this proved a flat failure.

Finally, one of the fellows, quite a wag in his way, suggested that by way of a change they telephone somebody

they did not know. This suggestion was received with favor. The wag opened the telephone book at random and let his eye run down the

claimed. "Puffer-Mr. Puffer, lawyer -Milk street-call, 3-Boston. Puffer Puffer. I like that name," and without

more ado he called up Mr. Puffer. Burrzurr! went the telephone bell. "Hello-hello!" came faintly over

the wire.
"Is this the office of Mr. Puffer?"

"Well, please tell him to come to the

'phone," said the wag.

A slight pause. Then: "Hello!"

"Hello!" said the Harvard boy.

"If you picase, sir, Mr. Puffer says
he's very busy and you will please to state your business.'

"Can't," was the reply. "Tell Mr Puffer it's very important and I must

see him at once!" 'ke'
"Very good, sir!" the clerk replied.
Another pause. Then a sharp ring
and a sharper "Hello—hello!"

"Oh, hello!" called the wag in a pleas ant, soft voice. "Who is this?" "I'm Mr. Puffer—who are you?" "Who did you say you were?" in-quired the wag, in oily tones. "Puffer-Puffer," was the quick re-

"Well, puff away, old man!" cried the wag as he "rang off" and hung up the receiver.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

#### LETTERS OF CHILDREN.

Parents Have a Duty to Perform Training the Young to Write.

Children seldom show much individuality in their letters. Occasionally a bit of originality crops out, and one sees peeping through the formal dress the quaint sweet face of a little lad or lass, and hears the music of the childish speech through the carefully chosen words. But because we grown people insist that written words shall not be spoken words, and force upon small scribblers a vocabulary not their own, their letters are apt to be stilted, and to be very like the letters of everybody else. Thus in the schoolroom the whole class will submit on composition day letters which vary little from be-ginning to end, which are as similar as buttons pressed in a mold. The fact is that the little writers have been given a copy to follow, and have followed in slavishly, and far too often the teacher marks them not in the order of merit, for spontaneity, or for cleverness o sprightliness, or keen powers of observation and nicety in reporting things seen, but rather for the neatness of the general screed-for the absence of blots, the correct spelling, and the prop er use of names and appropriate placing of the date. The outside appearance of any letter is very important, and children must be taught the etiquette of correspondence, and not allowed to fall into careless habits as to spacing, folding and addressing of the same One of the hall marks of gentle breeding is found here, and the polite person as distinguished from the awkward and untrained one, may be known by the letter he or she writes. Regarded as a passport to social success, an ac junct to business, an assistant in every department, the ability to write a graceful, direct and intelligible letter s of great value, and parents owe it to their children to give them thorough training in this particular branch of

education.—Harper's Bazar. Plums, The most stalwart and well-balance digestion is required in order to copsuccessfully with the ordinary native plum, which grows so abundantly in our hedges and along our highways It contains an acid that is irritating it the extreme, even to persons in perfec health. The rich, luxurious Californi and highly cultivated home plums have little or nothing in common with these children of the wilderness. They con tain but a trifle of seld, and that in form not objectionable. They may is used freely by children as well as grown persons, and might to advantage form a part of every day's function. The indigestible. In sauce, stewed, or with sugar to make jam or preserve, the large, purple or golden California or home-grown plums are an ideal fruit.— Ledger Monthly.

#### Surprise Game.

A suggestion for a child's party is to have the favors or bonbons hidden away in a little hat made of paper These are boxlike affairs with a small place in the crown to contain the goodies. The surprise of finding something in the hat will always bring pleasure to the little ones .- Detroit

Apple Saind. Chop tart apples not too fine. Take half as many chopped peanuts. Mix. and pour over a small tablespoonful of cream saind dressing. Put a sprig of curly parsley in center and serve.-Ladies' World.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS

# Deople's Column. is dependent upon the health of the wife more than on any other one thing. If is dependent upon the health of the wife more than on any other one thing. If a woman is troubled in a distinctly feminine way the most delicate nerves of her body are in a state of chronic irritation. She has headache and back-ache. She is listless and spiritless. She is cross and blue. She feels that life is not worth living and her temper reflects the condition of her nerves. Poor, suffering wife—poor, distracted husband. If the husband is a cheerful, good humored man he will sympathize—if he is nervous, thred and irritable himself, he will probably go off to the club or seek elsewhere more congenial company. A sick woman is to be pitted because she is miserable and because she has not yet learned that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will make her well. The "Favorite Prescription" was developed over thirty years

tute, at Buf-falo, N. Y. Since then i

well. We now have a fine boy st our house."

The "Pavorite Prescription" contains no alcohol and no opium or other narcotic, and is perfectly harmless in any condition of the system.

22-Carst Gold Crowns. \$2.00 up
Gold Fillings. \$1.00 up
Silver Fillings. 50c up
Plates Repaired. 50c up
Teeth Oleaned 50c up

Dr. Hugh A. Yaughan,

Dentist.

Room 401 Powers' Build'g

(Near Elevator Entrance)

DECATUR, ILLLINOIS

HARRY K. MIDKIFF,

T. S. HOSKINS.

ROOMS 513, 511, 515,

MILLIKIN BANK BUILDING.

Justice of the Peace. 157 East Main Street.

One Cent a Mile.

GEO. P. HARDY,

DENTIST..

Fer Sale, For Reat. Wanted. Etc.

WANTED.

WANTED-Every one to know that we contract cement work—sidewalks, driveware, floors, etc. Nothing but the best material used and the best workmen employed. All work guaranteed five years. Don't contract until you have seen us. Both Phones 55, V. H. PARKE & SON. WANTED—Paper hanging. I am prepared
W to give prempt attention to all orders for
paper-hanging and painting in any part of the
city or country. Satisfaction guaranteed; price
to cutt. D. M. SMITH. 1428 North Morgan.
New telephone No. 800. Apr 19-dif

NOR SALE—The furniture and furnishing of the Palace Hotal at thoweaqua, Ill. All in good condition. A bargain for comebody—july 19 2w

orite Prescription" was developed over thirty years ago in the regular practice of Dr. R. V. Pierce who is and was then, chief consulting physician to the Invalide' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y.

TAKE NOTICE—Eight good clear farms trade for good Decatar equities. BROW!

NOTICE—Billy Rolland is now ready to close the engagements with camping or fishing partoe during the summer, in taking charge of the cooking department and performing other duties. Call at 131 West Hain street, or at James Hollinger's barber shop.

April 8-dat

April 8-dil A GENTS—Something entirely new, our Par-A fection Gaslight Burners it all keroestal lamps, giving brilliant gaslight, greatest inven-tion of the century. No chimney, anoke or dire-chesper than oil; nut what the poople want; \$10 a day sure; outht free. Perfection Gaslight Burner Co., B. 4, Cincinnati, O.

CET YOUR HORSE SHOD—At corner West Main and church streets. The proprietor belongs to no trust nor organization to make you pay a high price for your horseshoeing. Four new shoes \$1. T. L. Weskly, proprietor, Decatur, Ill.

closed find draft for \$5. Please send by re-mail \$5 worth of Cerrodanie Capsules. The turn mail \$5 worth of Cerrodanie Capsules. The medicine you have been sending the last three times is for an old tady who the been afficied with Rheumatism for a number of years. He is so much improved that she can do her work, and hast Sunday walked four squares to church, at hing she has not been able to do for a year. Present address Lawrenceville, ill.

Yours truly,

J. C. Orr.

CTORAGE GOODS FOR SALE.—We have a Note thousehold goods, bedroom suit chairs, couches, carpose, see, in good condition, that we will sell cheap to pay the storage due on them. This is a bargain for some one. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.

THE Blue Grass Carriage shop. Your vehicle insured and stored at my tisk free of cost-trepairs or repainting is necessary for spring use. Oceans of good dry room, and I want one to two hundred vehicles on these terms. Corner of East Main and Franklis streets. Jaco-dif STEAMSHIP TICKETS to all parts of Eu-Strope; either first or second cabin, or sleet-age tickets, at the very lowest prices. PHTEE H. BRURCH, agent white Star Line and Ham-burg-American Line, 215 N. Main. 1eb 1/did

COMMERCIAL STAMP GOODS.

Bupplies and Repairs.

THE DECATUR RUBBER STAMP WORKS.

J. M. MYERS, Prop. New 'Phone 117.

801 South Church, Street, Decatur, Ill.
Write for Estimates and Circulars.

july 20-dtf

### MONEY TO LOAN.

CREDIT SYSTEM People wishing bridge work or gold plates can have same on EASY PAYMENT plea. ATONEY TO LOAN-On city real estate and MI. farms, at 5 per cent., 5% per cent. and 6 per cent. interest. Come and get amount, you need. GEORGE LOWER, Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agent, Room 8, Library Block, 12 East William Street. GOLD CROWNS We now 22-carat gold with 20-carat solder.

No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered.

#### ALBERT T. SUMMERS.

J. D. MOORE'S LOAN BROKER,

All Clarge of Loans Negotiated,

146 North Water Street, DECATUE, ILL ..Painless Dental Parlors... 158 EAST MAIN STREET.

The Reliable Loan Office. BURSTEIN & ROSENBERG. PROFESSIONAL CAKOS.

The Leading PAWNBROKERS in the City.
Unredeemed Pledges for Sale. Engineers, Brakemen, Firemen, Conductors and all ratiway employes should not fait to call audersonne our 2f-jewel movement and 20 year case, at Haif Price. Passes the examination of the ratiway.

Money Loaned at Very Low Rates. BURSTEIN & ROSENBERG, 205 S. Park St.

Established in 1896. Constable and Collector, 147 South Water St. Slephone-Oldsw. New 7s. Besidence. Oldsu Collections A Specialty. D. YOUNG, PAWNBROKER.

LOANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY. Also Unredoemed Pledges always on hand, such as Watches, Diamonds Jow-eiry, Firearms, at 50c on the Dollar. \_\_142 East Prairie Street.-August 16 def

#### Master in Chancery's Sale. STATE OF ILLINOIS. In the Circuit Court.

Mande Six et al., Complements, vs. Christie A. Bromley et al., Defendants—Is, Chancery: No.

# Name so Mich in Guality. You Pay 10c. for Cigars Hot St. Cond. SINGLE GIGAR

#### Railroad Column

R. R. TIME TABLES.

TO CHICAGO. 13—Daily except Sunday 1:00 a di 16—Daily except Sunday 9.20 a di 16—Daily 11:43 a di

16—Daily TO ST. LOUIS.

5—Past Mail, Daily 1

5—Bit Louis Accomm, Daily 1

1—Continents Limited, Daily 1

V-Kanasa City Ex., Daily 1

Kanasa City Mail, Daily 1

9-Kansas City Mail, Daily, 11:00 a. 32
TO TOLEDO AND BUFFALO.
6-Fast Mail, Daily 5:13 a in
16-Danyille Accoun. ex.isunday 9:11 a is
4-Daily 11:00 a is
4-Dontineusai Limites. Daily 11:37 a is
5-Lafayette Accoun. ex. Sun. 4:31 p is
9-N. Y. Limited. Daily 11:53 p is
9-N. Y. Limited. Daily 11:53 p is
9-Buffalo Mail, Daily 11:53 p is
TO QUINOY AND HANNIBAL.

# DEORIA. DECATUR \*

No. 704 lo Unicago via Chimbon & Gilliman No. 704 lo Unicago via Unampatgn. 190 S. 25, No. 104 Main Line North. 11:00 S. 25, No. 126 Main Line North. 11:00 S. 25, No. 702 Champaign Line Mixed leaves.

No. 119 Daylight Brectal to Mt. Autor 119 Daylight Brectal to Mt. Autor 119 Ham South to Court all 1947 No. 119 Man Line South to Court all 1947 No. 119 Man Line South to Court all 1948 No. 718 from Chicago vis Champelgo, arrive

No. 301 from Champaign Misso Train arrive Daily. †-Daily Except Sunday.

In the Circuit Court.

HERMAN SPIES.

Book Binder.

Fraction Book Binder.

Fraction Book Binder.

Practical Book Binder.

Fraction Book B

#### ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. **EXCURSIONS.**

Chesp rate to Denver Colorado and return. August 5, 6 and 7, via 1, C. R., R. Beturn limit Aug. 51, 1880. 828-80 for the round trip. You can leave Denstur et 11 a. m. and strive at Denver at 6:20 the sent evening.
Clinton Pair. August 7th to 11th. The 3. C. B. R. will sell thekete at mas and con-third fore to Clinton and return August 6th to 11th; good returning to August 12.
Bunday School Pionie. Meweston. Tuesday, August 1. One and one-third fore for round trip; good returning August 25.
For farther information is regard to tickets For further information in regard to tickets and rates call at City Ticket Ozion, 32t E. Wil-liam street, or Union Depot.

# Tickets sold at Vandalia Line stations September let to 4th incinaire, return limit September 12th, 1899. Stop overs, circuit conte tickets, and tickets with longer limit at slightly higher rates. Through sleepers, dining cars serve all means. For particulars address marset Vandalia Line Agent or Traveling Passenger Agents C. M. Wheeler, Ferre Hauts, Ind., or J. C. Milepaugh. Decatur, Ili.

C.A.SNOW&CO.

rnace...

xed after.

# OFFERING?



14k 18 size Gold Filled Case, with 11 Jewel Nickle, Gold Finished American office at the court house on Tuesday Movement, Stem Wind; regular value \$15.

## SPECIAL PRICES:

\$10.25 for Hunting, \$9.75 for Open pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a great favor-Face—complete watch.

Guaranteed satisfactory timer. Call Rev. W. F. Gillmore will deliver in and examine these goods. The BEST WATCH in the world for the money.

# FRANK CURTIS CO.,

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China, 156 EAST MAIN STREET; 3 3 DECATUR, ILL.

## August Clearance Sale!

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S TAN SHOES, ALL SIZES

Same in smaller sizes, 81/2 to 11, D and E width, Misses' Chocolate Lace Kid Tip, nobby shoe, good shape, \$1.50

Broken Sizes, Narrow Widths, as Follows:

Tan and Chocolate, both Kid and Patent Tip, Turn Sole-BEST GRADES.

Sizes 81/4 to 11, Regular \$1.50 and \$1.75 Values, go at \$1.00 Sizes 11% to 2, Regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 Values, go at \$1.25 At the prices named above it will not take long to clean them all out.

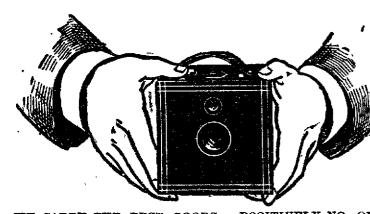
REMEMBER THE BARGAIN DEPARTMENT.

FRANK H. COLE SHOE CO.,

148 East Main Street, Decatur, Ill.

Sign of Brass Foot Prints in the Sidewalk.





WE CARRY THE BEST GOODS. POSITIVELY NO OLD STOCK. ALL GOODS FRESH.

Premo, Poco, Cyclones, Hawkeye-all styles of cameras. We are the only authorized dealers of Eastman Goods in Decatur. Dark Room at your disposal. We do developing and printing in the very latest style.

DECATUR GUN CO.

#### **CUCUMBER COMPLEXION** ...SOAP...

The Best Cream Scap for the

35c box of 6 cakes.

WEST'S DRUG STORE.

LINCOLN SQUARE.

THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, August 21.—Illinois: Fair tonight and Tuesday; westerly winds, shifting to southerly Tuesday.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke the Little J., 5-cent cigar, made by Jacob Keck.

There's "Just One Girl" to go to

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. june 22-dtf fry some time in September.

A. T. Summers makes loans, large or small. Any security. Reasonable rates .-- d&w

W. H. Spence, painting, paper hanging, kalsomining, etc. phone, office 627, residence 615.—5-dtf urday night for the sale of tickets for St. Louis excursion. -16-4td

The Modern Woodman committee will hold a meeting at the Sheriff's evening for the purpose of settling the affairs of the Woodman picnic. It is thought that they will be able to report that the picnic was a financial

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its ite with the people everywhere. For sale by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

reunious-one at Arthur on Wednesday and one at Westfield on Thursday. Old Musty Ale on Draught. "The

The Wheelmen will brack camp today and are expected home this evening. The report of a barrel of fish which has preceded them is making their friends particularly anxious to welcome them home. It will be at the Akers & Wilson store, and friends will call there for croppie and buffalo. Bort Weaver and Alva Wilson got home Sanday night. The others will days.

#### it Helped Win Battles.

come tomorrow.

Twenty-nine officers and men wrote from the Front tossy that for Scratches, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Sore Feet and Stiff Joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Burne, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling, druggists.

St Excursion to Decatur, Ill., Sunday, August 27th, 1899.

On Sunday, August 27, 1899, the Indaina, Decatur and Western Ry. to Decatur, Illinois, and return, for which tickets will be sold at one dollar for the round trip, good on special at Decator. All the best brass bands Poftsdam, N. Y. in western Indiana and ceutral Illinois on the program. For tickets, time of train, etc., apply to any L, D. & W. Ry. agent, or address John S. Lazarus, G. P. A., Indianapolis Ind.

Insurance gasoline stoves can't explode. —6-d#f

A Woman Thief.

Sheriff Downey of Christian county passed through Decatur Sunday moraing, having in custody Flora Butler, who stole a horse and buggy at Taylorville and drove toward Beardstown. She acted queerly at Pleasant Plains, where she was arrested and held until mother, Mrs. A. A. Powers, and her Downey came after her. It is not the sister, Mrs. E. D. Bartholomew, at Butler woman's first offense. She has St. Louis. spent a term in the reform school.

New departure lawn mowers at Scovill's -6-dtf

#### Faithful Lodge.

The lawn social given by the mem. bers of the Faithful Lodge, L. O. G. T., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H Reed of Main and Packard streets on Saturday night, was largely attended the ice cream and cake tables.

North Star's are odorless and cleanable -6-dtf

Saloon Sale. by G. W. Smick was sold on Saturday at Dayton. They will return about afternoon by Constable W. W. Conard October 1. to satisfy a chattel mortgage for \$1400 —Professor F. W. Westhoff left toin favor of Mrs. Margaret Reinstorf.

day for East St. Louis to take charge
man dead drunk and brought him to
working medicine is a godeend to another
there were a number of hide and the There were a number of bids and the of the music at the St. Clair County headquarters. He had in his pockets sickly, run-down people. Every There were a number of bids and the of the music at the St. Clair County headquarters. He had in his pockets guaranteed. Only 50 cents place was finally sold to Albert Hous. Teachers' Institute, as a substitute for \$556.07. A horse was found grazing J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.



the use Hostet

#### BIG BAND TOURNAMENT.

Arrangements for the Event Which Will Take Place Next Sunday.

The band tournament which is to be given in this city on Sunday, August 27. will be a big affair. Manager Peniwell of the Goodman's band has received letters from 10 different bands and there will be in all about 225 musicians present. All the railroads have agreed to offer excursion rates. The bauds that will be here and the membership of each are as follows: Ringgold band, Terre Haute, 25 men; Brazil, Ind., 25; Danville, 25; Champaign, 25; Mattoon, two bands, 40 men; Pekin, 20; Newman, 24; Clinton, 18; Monticello, 18.

All of the bands will form at 11 2 m, and march from the depot to the business portion of the city. In the afternoon there will be a band concert at the race track. Selections will be given by the combined band and each will play separately.

There will be excursions on the Wabash from Forest, Danville and Effingham and excursion rates will be The ladies of the First Baptist offered from all points between Decachurch are arranging for a chicken tur and Springfield, and between Litchfield and Decatur. The P., D. & E. will run excursions from Mathave excursions from Terre Haute and run a special train from Champaign.

afforded.

#### **PERSONAL**

-Mrs. C. A. Pollock is ill. ...J. W. Race is in Chicago.

\_J. G. Shaller has returned from week's visit in Chicago.

-Miss Lelab Ayers is spending the week in the country with friends. -Miss Leota Lloyd has returned from a week's visit at Cerro Gordo.

-Mr. and Mrs. Theron Powers and children returned on Saturday from a stay of several weeks at Three Lakes, -Mrs. Sarah J. Armstrong and E.

Armstrong of Elmsdale, is in the city visiting W. H Richards. -Mrs. Julius Hamilton of Cham-

Mrs. A. L. Mayfield. -Mrs. John C. Millspaugh and children are in Chicago visiting Charles Clifton, 3b......5 Millspaugh and family.

-Rev. H. S. Bowyer has gone to Sieberling, 3h. Waverly to visit his family for a few Dougherty, cf....5

aya.

—Harry Conklin of the Conklin McIntyre, c-ri...4 Wall Paper company, has gone east on Payne, p. ......4 a 10 days' business trip.

-Secretary Harry Patterson of the Y. M. C. A., will leave this week for Y. M. C. A., will see he will spend a Kemp, 2b. . . . . 5 Hays, 1b. . . . . . 5 -Mrs. William Dunn, who has been

visiting her mother, Mrs. McKinley, at Oreana, has returned to her home at Appleton, Mo.

-Dr. B. F. Slusher, who was injured by being thrown against a sent will run a special train Indianapolis in the street our severa days ago, has recovered.

-Mrs. V. N. Hostetler, with her mother, Mrs. Parker, and her daughtrain only. Grand band tournament tor, Ruth, left today for a visit at

> Reed Spencer and family of West Wood street.

-Judge and Mrs. Vail and children, Dorothy and Donald, left on Sunday afternoon for Chicago and a trip on -Mrs. E. F. Pannell and son Balph,

Mrs. C. E. Csborne, returned yesterday to their home at Chicago.

day for a visit of two weeks with her lows: \_C, C, Smith, the Y. M. C. A.

evangelist, has goue to his home in Chicago for a short rest before opening the evangelistic meetings at klmwood on Thursday next. He will be assisted by Mr. Haasler.

-Miss Gertrude Hunter, who has been visiting Miss Emma Russell, left today for her home at Paris, 11!., accompanied by Miss Russell, who will and there was a liberal patronage of also visit at Terre Haute, Brazil and Indianapolia

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smallwood and children left yesterday for a trip through Ohio and Kentucky. They will visit Mr. Smallwood's mother. The Q. T. saloon, formerly owned whom he has seen but once in 22 years,

The Fraternal Army of America will hold their aunual picuic. at Taylorville on August 26. Strong useres The speakers will be Congress-and a vigorous man Caldwell, Judga B. M. Potts and Supreme Chaplain W. W. Weldon.

F. A. of A. Picnic.

Mrs. Ong's Condition. Jacksonville Journal, August 20: and kidney The condition of Mrs. Clarence Ong. Tuesday night at 8 o'clock to complete of the other.

## BASE BALL

Kenney's Star Team Defeated by Company H.

#### SUNDAY AT THE RACE TRACK

Score 11 to 8-it was a Good Came and Pleased a Large Crowd -Conley Umpira.

heavily at intervals would prevent the need of help. The ideal nation would playing of the ball game at the race be composed of Christian sociality, track between Company H team of those who considered every man his Decatur and Manager Owaley's star brother, irrespective of his fluencial club from Kenney, but the clouds position in the world. And when rolled away at 1 o'clock, the sun shone every honest employment would be brightly and the diamoud was in the considered as honorable as any other pink of condition. Several hundred He affirmed the nation would never people gathered at the park, including be ideal in character until trusts and about 50 visitors who came over on a monopolies would be abolished and special train from Kenney. The Reds the power and wealth of the nation from the town with two opera houses put into the hands of the people who toon and Pekin. The Vandalia will were confident that they would composed the nation-until the people vanquish Decatur good and proper, Brazil and the L. D. & W. from In- and tips in that direction were given Sam would then be the only monopodianapolts. The Illinois Central will out by the visiting rooters in a way list, as he is now in the letter system. that was calculated to cause doubt in Plain humanitarianism would not do This will be the third annual affair the minds of those who had faith in this, but it would need the Christin City ticket office will keep open Sat of the kind that has been given by the skill and ability of the military it to its fullest extent, and affirmed Goodman's band and it will be a players, who had come all the way with Gladstone that "the gospel of musical treat such as is seldom from the Springfield encampment to Jesus Christ will solve all the problems get into the game. It took just one hour and 50 minutes

to play the game, which was a good exhibition to the finish, just what Manager Seiwers had promised. Payne was in fine form after the second inning and would have kept the runs down to four but for three passed balls in the second. The team work was good Dougherty and Gillespie were the timely sluggers for the home team, the former Litting for two cushions when the bases were full. Each man said "Howdy do" to the home plate and scorers and the Decatur crowd nearly had a fit. The Kenney rooters closed up and "died" right there. The visitors are snappy players, but they couldn't hit the ball at the right time.

"Phonse" Conley was the umpire. He was manifestly fair all through paign is the guest of her daughter, the game. Below is the score:

DECATUR.

AB R H P.O H E held Wednesday. Wackeman, ss...5 42 11 11 27

KENNEY. AB R H P.O Thompson, ri....5 lohnson, ¢ ..... 4

41 8 11 24 15 By Innings: 123456789 Decatur......00401033\*—11 Kenney.......0 4 0 1 2 0 0 0 1-8 Earned runs, Decatur 3; stolen bases,

Decatur 3, Kenney 2; two base hits, Dougherty 2, Gillespie 1, Kenney 3; -Mrs. Kate Tucker of Chattanooga, struck out by Payne 7, by Barnett 8; bases on balls, Decatur, Kenney 1; passed bails, Decatur 4, Kenney 1; Gates hit by pitched ball. Time, 1:52

M. W. at Austin. Deputy Head Consul J. H. Kingsley and Attorney W. H. Black institute a Modern Woodman camp of 17 memwho have been the guests of Mr. and bers at Austin on Saturday evening. There will be a membership of 30 in the new camp when all applicants are -Mrs. George Durfee left on Satur- taken in. Officers were elected as fol-

V. C.-T. C. L. Hoaglen. W. A.-E. Roberts. Banker-J. Linnez. Clerk-John G. Fork. Escort-William Peterman Watchman-E. Roberts. Sentinel-Ed Read. Managers-M. Newman, John Heft and John Kerwood. Physicians-Dr. W. F. McLean Maron, Dr. W. O. Melton, Warrensburg, and Dr. William Polk.

Old Musty Ale on Draught, "The

Delegate-O. Campbell.

Frank Stephens the hackman lying in and able to do her own work the road east of the city near the supreme remedy for female powder magazines. The police went ness, melancholy, headache, backstock out in the patrol wagon and found the ton for \$355. It is probable that Mr. Professor Ketchem of East St. Louis, in the road near where the man was Houston will continue to operate the who was stricken with paralysis last found. Wolf was too drauk to fall name and that he was a farmer living held a meeting on Saturday even as near Antioch.

> Two gasoline stove accidents Saturday. Had they used as Insurance gasoline stove they never would have happened -6-dtf

toubles. See that a Private that a Private Starsup covers the mack of the bottle.

Stomach Starsup covers the mack of the bottle.

It is helieved that the end is not far the present.

Store of the bottle.

Tuesday right at 8 o'clock to complete arrangements for the emancipation colebration which will be held friday, September 22. All citizens are arged off.

#### HALL ON SOCIALISM

Sermon by the Christian Tabernacia Pastor Sunday Evening,

Owing to the rain Sauday there were

not very large audiences at the Taber.

nacle. In the morning the peator

spoke on "Salamanders," and in the evening on "Christian Socialism." In regard to the latter theme the speaker said he was a socialist but not of the kind who fight under the red flag-that he was a socialist to its broadest and deepest terms-a Christian socialist. The Christian church which was founded on the day of Pentecost, had all things in common and gave to those as they had need Today that was not required, but the Christian should help with his time It was expected up to about noon Sunday that the rain which fell and wealth those who are pour and in had everything in common. Uncle of the nineteenth century."

Mrs. J. B. Irwin returned Finday from a week's visit with her sister at

Mrs. J. G. Kile started Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with her father in Kansas

O. L. Williams was a Monticello visitor Tuesday. J. Slate and Miss Richardson of

Edinburg returned home Mouday. J. W. Ripple moved into his new house Monday. Dr. Kumber, Chancellor of L. W. U.

of L, of Bloomington, preached at the

M. E. church Sunday morning and lectured on "Christian Education" at night. W. J. and Oharles Marlow are visiting relatvies in Sullivan and about

Lake City this week. O. N. Young of Chicago attended the funeral of his father, which was

J. B. Irwin and W. H. Jones went to the fair Tuesday. Mrs. S. E. Andrews, Lon Chester

and Miss Oora Marlow attended the Peck and Ater reunion Tuesday at Cerro Gordo. Isaac Young died of bowel trouble

Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. Ils was a respected and old man belonging to the M. E. church. The funeral services were conducted by Hev. Stevenson at the M. E. church. The remains were laid to rest in the Croninger cometery.

Church Notes.

The Sunday school of the Cumberland Presbyterian church will held their annual pionic at Fairlawn park on Thursday, August 24. Conveyances will leave the church at 9 o'clock. The Christian Endeavor society of

the Cumberland Prosbyterian church will give a social at the home of Mr. Record, east of the city on Friday evening, August 25. The Ladies' Missionary society of

the C. P. church will meet at the church parlors on Friday afternoon a B o'clock.

The Senior Christian Endeavor society meeting at the Baptist church this evening will be in the bunds of the missionary committee.

Old Musty Ale on Draught. "The Peerless. 11

Coming Event. Springfield News: Invitations have been received in this city to the matriage of Prof. J. J. Wilkinson of Nor. mai and Miss Ada Ashworth of Sullavan, to occur August 80 at the brise's home. Professor Wilkinson was principal of the Lincoln school in Spring field five or six years ago, when he left for Germany, where he studied for several years. He was recently elected to the chair of pedagogy at the State Normal University at Normal where they will be at home after Uctober 1.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the sort form of siavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, Mich, tells how think slave was made free. He say the wife has been so helpless for the plant that the could not turn over it or Ed Wolf of Niantic was arrested Saturday night. He was found by tric Bitters she is wonderfully map and found by Frank Stephens the hackman laine in land ship to do not make the found by the first stephens the hackman laine in land ship to do not make the first stephens to the first st

#### Will Play Ball. The members of Post K. T. P A.

at which time they discussed the ball game which they will give on bridefi September 1. The game will take place at the race track and it will be a great affair. Two teams will be made up of the traveling men and ope will be known as the Fats and the other as the Leans. F. A. Tottle will Mass meeting at the council rooms be captain of one and C. J. McConnell

the Charles Visited in the charles Cha

**FILIPINOS** LATE NEWS

Sketch of Recent Engagements in the Philippines.

TWENTY-EIGHTH YEAR

## **REBELS TO RESIST**

Every Advance Made by Springfield Wom. the Americans.

AGUINALDO ORDERS IGNORED

American Ships with Food Admitted to Rebei Ports-Operations in and Around Manila-Censorship of Press Reports Severe -A Mayor in Jall.

Kong, August 22 .- The Filipino rebets father to buy lar appear to retain more fighting spirit she went into a then was expected after the recent San Fernando exepriences and Gen- was placed in the gral Lawton's drubbings in the south. in chancery for si

After giving up San Fernando with ment could be sat a feeble struggle they entremehed sale came off it w themselves at Angeles, working for hiving in ht i several days, impressing non-come the woman charabatants into the work and saving the been perpetrated somed men for the fighting. They en- of a fraudulent at gaged Colonel Smith's regiment and ling and taking of artillary warmly for four hours, making one of the most stubborn resistances of the campaign.

In the province of Cavita, where the suppressed rebels have been scattered and demoralized beyond recuperation, they assembled an army of several who have inited : thousand in important towns from the resented. The ria lake to the ber.

#### Old Tactics. After the San Fernando engagement

the robels attempted to menace the has gone. One of railroad communications at Quingua, surmount is the Hallung and other places with small American garrisons, while during Sunday and Monday nights small bands tried to tear up the railway tracks at saveral points between Bigas | night for keeping and Malolos. Reinforcements of sun George L. H. American troops, however, were sent for being an interalong the railroad from Manila to San is located on W Fernando, while the forces at Baliung | morning both ton and Quingua sallied out and the rebels were taken before brushes during three days the Americans lost several men. The Filippoo arrested last night loss was heavy.

#### The Censorship. Of these operations the Associated

Press Correspondents were permitted Officer Kosstock to send only an madequate dispatch, and was thred \$4 dictated verbatim by General Otis and given until The censor writes stereotyped official nue. phrases and adjectives into the dispatches, tending to magnify the American operations and minimize the song, the title of Of contion. General Otis says the the Corn Fields. hewspapers are not public institutions, Himois " Allered but private enterprises and that corre-work at Biversion Floordents are only here on sufference.

All reports from the rebei territory tigree that the sourcity of food is increasing. Rebel commanders at Aparri morning about and at other points refuse to obey his breyels, he is A unado's orders closing the ports surrey. Mr. His is held by the rebels against the Ameri- men to turn out, can ships. They say any ship bring the wheelman can ing stores will be welcome. Several a rifle and threaten ships from Manila are now at such Mr. Hall gave the

#### At Manila.

mila daily and return to the rebel line | Morse, went to with food and other commodities, man by the ner-Cuards stationed along one road have being the one was reported that five thousand parsons liave passed through the lines in three days, and that 45 tons of rice were Carried out, in small parcels, on the the meeting of ' \*ame road, in 10 days. Much un society of the Fr doubtedly goes to aid the rebels, but and Missos No. the authorities permit this traffic from Telladay, Ruth motives of charity towards women Wilber Dawson and children, who undoubtedly are exercises.

#### SmallTowns.

General MacArthur has established municipal governments in the villages Ftont, who k. l borth of Manila.

The mayor of Baliusg, supposed to day.

has been placed arranging with attack on the rew The American

drawn from all cleared of rehely a The rebels has

Mateo, which was third time after it. It is alleged that the howitzer amon

MBS. FOLEY'S

the fight at Ange.

failed to explod-

Bloomangton 1 Forey of Springs. oty last Friday o onsulting several to an allegen cro county. The tree of her lather and of the courts to Foley claims that against the estate a le sparsuer Christian county coul deposits a frand she has #10.000. The fac and many years MANILA, August 19, via Hong her mother adv. indgment against by her father. land had been co

> father has been several years and ger back what rightful interest which she estimate The matter 1 public many time has been examine shape and it wen

intricactes three .

who presided in the of the suit for the

> Arrests ! Catherine Suth

John Reiley et ( out of the city.

A New Charles Presumm

Chuton Putle the city, where I rant for their arretion of the men to Bundreds of people come into Ma- sherift, accompa-

A missioner ;

and brought have

STOUT EASTON, PA

railway station a.